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The Medieval Institute  
College of Arts and Sciences

Dear Colleague,

Summer passed with the *Call for Papers*; fall came with a change of colors to Kalamazoo and the organization of sessions; we are now in winter here at Western Michigan University, starting to look forward to the spring and the arrival of you, our fellow medievalists, to the 51st International Congress on Medieval Studies.

The Valley III cafeteria and adjoining rooms will host booksellers and vendors; cafeteria meals will be served in Valley II's dining hall. The downtown Radisson Plaza hotel is our principal off site venue; please consult the website for other off-campus lodging opportunities at Congress rates. Registration for on-campus housing remains part of the Congress registration process, and we are delighted to offer fitted sheets for the first time in the history of the Congress.

We are pleased to welcome Jane Chance and Ian Wood as our plenary speakers. On Friday, Jane Chance will present "How We Read J. R. R. Tolkien Reading Grendel's Mother." On Saturday, Ian Wood will offer "Religion and the End of the Roman West." We are grateful to the Medieval Academy of America for its support of the Friday plenary.

For those interested in medieval music and instruments, we are delighted to announce that the Medieval Institute and the Gilmore International Keyboard Festival are co-sponsoring the Kalamazoo sojourn of Ms. Corina Marti, a clavicimbalum specialist. On Friday evening, May 13, Ms. Marti will present a free lecture/performance in Kanley Chapel on the WMU campus as a part of the Congress.

Finally, let me thank the many people on campus and off who contribute to the Congress. Special thanks go to the Medieval Institute's staff and students, especially Liz Teviotdale, Lisa Carnell, Theresa Whitaker, and Tom Krol, as well as Roland Black, Meghan Connolly, Meg Cornell, Sam Dobberstein, Eric Gobel, Maggie Heeschen, Caroline Jansen, Christian Krueger, Julie Polcrack, and Karen Soto.

I look forward to seeing you in May 2016.

Yours,

Jana K. Schulman  
Professor of English  
Director, Medieval Institute

# Registration

Everyone attending the Congress—including participants, exhibitors, and accompanying family members—must register for the Congress.

The Medieval Institute encourages the use of the online registration system for clarity, expediency, and convenience. Attendees may also register by mail or by fax using the paper Registration Form, which is available as a PDF file on the Congress website, but those registering by mail or fax pay a \$25.00 handling fee.

Questions regarding registration should be directed to [ma-tickets@wmich.edu](mailto:ma-tickets@wmich.edu).

Registration fees are \$145.00 (regular) and \$90.00 (student and each accompanying family member).

Pre-registration closes on **April 27**.

Registration fees are not refundable after **April 27**.

All attendees registering after **April 27**, including all on-site registrants, pay a \$50.00 late fee.

## PRE-REGISTRATION

Online: A link to the secure server can be found on the Congress website. Those using online registration must pay by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, or Discover). The system emails you a confirmation that your registration request was received. If you do not receive the expected confirmation email message, you probably are not registered for the Congress. Please direct questions to [ma-tickets@wmich.edu](mailto:ma-tickets@wmich.edu). Please be sure that all information is complete and correct.

By mail (\$25.00 handling fee): Fill out the Registration Form, using the PDF file available on the Congress website. Mail it, together with your check, money order, or credit card information, before April 28 to:

Congress Registration  
c/o Miller Auditorium  
Western Michigan University  
1903 W. Michigan Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI 49008-5344

If you would like confirmation of registration, please include a self-addressed, stamped postcard in your mailing.

By fax (\$25.00 handling fee): Fill out the Registration Form, using the PDF file available on the Congress website. Fax it, including your credit card information, before April 28 to Miller Auditorium at 269-387-2362.

# Registration

## **PAYMENT**

We can accept Visa, MasterCard, and Discover for credit card payments, but we cannot process American Express or electronic transfer of funds.

Only checks or money orders in U.S. dollars made payable to the Medieval Institute are accepted. Any checks or money orders sent in currencies other than U.S. dollars will be returned. All charges are due at the time of registration. Receipts are issued at the Congress.

Checks and money orders made out in an incorrect amount and illegible and incorrect credit card numbers hold up the registration process. Please sign your check and write in the current date. Post-dated checks cannot be accepted.

All who attend sessions, give papers or preside over sessions, take part in panels, visit the exhibits, or otherwise attend the Congress and participate in its activities must register. The Congress Committee reserves the right to deny future participation in the Congress to those who do not register properly and further reserves the right to refer to the university's collection services any unpaid bills.

## **PRE-REGISTRATION PACKETS**

Pre-registered attendees will find their packet of conference materials, including a receipt, available for pickup at Congress registration in the Eldridge-Fox lobby of the Goldsworth Valley III residence halls upon arrival. On-campus housing assignments are given at that time. Packets may be picked up around the clock from noon on Wednesday until the end of the Congress.

## **ON-SITE REGISTRATION**

Congress attendees may register upon arrival but are assessed a \$50.00 late registration fee. Registration is available in the Eldridge-Fox lobby of the Goldsworth Valley III residence halls. Please note that on-campus housing may no longer be available to on-site registrants.

The hours of on-site registration are:

Wednesday, noon–midnight

Thursday, 8:00 a.m.–midnight

Friday, 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.

Saturday, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

## **REFUNDS**

Refunds for registration fees, housing, and meals are made only if Miller Auditorium has received notification of cancellation by April 27. No refunds are made after that date.

# On-Campus Housing

On-campus housing is provided in the co-ed residence halls of the Goldsworth Valley I, II, and III complexes. Registration for on-campus housing is a part of the Congress registration process.

Rates are \$37.00 per night for a single room and \$31.50 per person per night for a double for those who pre-register for the Congress. Any rooms booked to on-site registrants will be billed at the single rate, although two attendees who want to share a room may do so.

All on-campus rooms will be singles unless specific requests are received for double rooms, with roommate specified at the time of registration. Please indicate special housing requests at the time of registration. Every effort is made to accommodate timely housing requests, but keep in mind that not every request can be fulfilled. If you and a colleague request sharing a double room, the room assignment will be made only after both registrations have been received. If you and a colleague or colleagues request sharing an adjoining bathroom (i.e., ask to be suitemates), room assignments will be made only after all registrations have been received.

Room assignments are indicated on the pre-registration packet, and keys are picked up at registration in the Eldridge-Fox lobby of the Goldsworth Valley III residence halls. Rooms may be reserved for Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday nights of the Congress, but neither earlier nor later.

Western Michigan University is a tobacco free campus, indoors and out. The campus housing offered through the Congress is designed for undergraduates, i.e., for individuals 17–22 years of age, and bathrooms are usually shared. Those who require hotel amenities such as air-conditioning, refrigerators, and private bathrooms will find them at area hotels.

## BED LINENS

Each attendee staying in on-campus housing is issued a blanket, a pillow, two flat sheets, a towel, a washcloth, a bar of soap, and a plastic drinking cup. Fitted bottom sheets are available for \$1.50 in limited quantities to those who pre-register for the Congress. Those who choose this option will find in the pre-registration packet a ticket to be redeemed at their residence hall desk for the fitted sheet.

## CHECK IN

Pre-registered attendees may check in around the clock between noon on Wednesday and the end of the Congress. On-site registration and check in is limited to Wednesday, noon–midnight; Thursday, 8:00 a.m.–midnight; Friday, 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.; and Saturday, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

## REFUNDS

Refunds for housing are made only if Miller Auditorium has received notification of cancellation by April 27. No refunds are made after that date.

## Off-Campus Accommodations

Congress attendees may choose to stay off campus in local hotels, for which they make their own arrangements. See the Congress website for contact information.

### 2016 HOTEL RATES

Radisson Plaza Hotel \$141.00–\$231.00

Baymont Inn \$90.00

Best Western Suites \$119.99

Comfort Inn at WMU \$102.60

Courtyard by Marriott \$139.00

Fairfield Inn–West \$109.00

Four Points by Sheraton \$114.00

Hampton Inn–West \$129.00

Holiday Inn–West \$108.00

Homewood Suites \$152.00

Red Roof Inn–West \$85.99

Staybridge Suites \$129.95

TownePlace Suites \$117.00

Room rates do not include 11% state and local taxes.

No hotel on this list offers smoking rooms.

### SHUTTLE SERVICE

The Radisson Plaza Hotel, the main off-campus site, the Four Points by Sheraton, and the Holiday Inn–West provide shuttle service to and from the airport.

The Medieval Institute provides shuttle service to campus and back from the Radisson Plaza Hotel on Wednesday from 7:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m.; on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m.; and on Sunday until 12:40 p.m., with buses departing every 40 minutes.

Shuttle service is offered during the Congress to and from the Baymont Inn, Best Western Suites, the Holiday Inn–West, the Red Roof Inn–West, and Staybridge Suites on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m. and on Sunday until 12:45 p.m., with buses departing every 60 minutes.

The Medieval Institute thanks Discover Kalamazoo for its support of our hotel shuttle service.



# Travel

## AIR

Kalamazoo/Battle Creek International Airport is served by Delta Air Lines, American Airlines, and—returning in 2016—United Airlines. Detroit and Minneapolis (Delta) and Chicago (American and United) are the major hubs offering air connections.

Some Congress attendees find it convenient to fly to Grand Rapids, South Bend, Detroit, or Chicago and rent a car. Driving time from Gerald R. Ford International Airport (Grand Rapids) and from South Bend Regional Airport is less than two hours. Driving time from Detroit Metro Airport is about two-and-a-half hours, from O'Hare (Chicago) at least three hours. Kalamazoo (Eastern Time) is always one hour ahead of Chicago (Central Time). Metro Cars (1-800-456-1701) offers taxis from Detroit Metro Airport to Kalamazoo (ca. \$335.00; advance reservation strongly recommended).

## GROUND TRANSPORTATION FROM THE AIRPORT

Medieval Institute buses meet all incoming flights at Kalamazoo/Battle Creek International Airport on Wednesday and Thursday and transport passengers to Congress registration (Eldridge-Fox lobby of the Goldsworth Valley III residence halls). On Sunday, bus transportation to the airport is provided from 4:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. The Medieval Institute no longer offers shuttle service to and from the airport on Friday, Saturday, or Monday.

The Radisson Plaza Hotel, the main off-campus site, the Four Points by Sheraton, and the Holiday Inn—West provide shuttle service to and from the airport.

Taxi service is also available at the Kalamazoo/Battle Creek International Airport.

## TRAIN AND BUS

Amtrak trains (Chicago-Detroit-Pontiac and Chicago-East Lansing-Port Huron routes), as well as Greyhound and Indian Trails buses, serve Kalamazoo daily, arriving at the Kalamazoo Downtown Transportation Center.

On Wednesday from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.; on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.; and Sunday from 7:00 a.m. until 12:40 p.m., Medieval Institute shuttle buses travel between Congress locations on the Western Michigan University campus and the Radisson Plaza Hotel, a three-block walk on Rose Street from the Downtown Transportation Center (483 meters, 6 minutes). Taxi service is also available at the transportation center, and the Kalamazoo Metro Transit bus #16 (departing from the transportation center) stops near Congress registration (no Sunday service).



# Driving and Parking

Kalamazoo is located at the crossroads of Interstate-94 and US Route 131 in Southwest Michigan, a two-and-a-half hour drive from Chicago or Detroit.



Driving from I-94 to Congress registration:  
Take exit 74B onto US-131 north. Travel 2.8 miles on US-131 to exit 36 (Stadium Drive). Take Stadium Drive east (right) 2.2 miles to Howard Street. Turn left onto Howard Street and travel one mile to Valley Drive. Turn right onto Valley Drive into the WMU campus and follow the signs to Congress registration.

## PARKING

Parking for Congress attendees is available in selected parking lots near Congress venues on campus. Parking for the 2016 Congress near the Goldsworth Valley residence halls will be more restricted than it was in 2015 and much more restricted than in the years before 2015. Parking permits (\$10.00) are available at registration in the Eldridge-Fox lobby of the Goldsworth Valley III residence halls. Please do not park at meters or in prohibited areas.

# Food

## **GOLDSWORTH VALLEY CAFETERIA MEALS**

The first on-campus cafeteria meal is Wednesday evening dinner, and the last meal is Sunday at noon. Meal times are:

Breakfast: 7:00 a.m.–8:30 a.m.

Lunch: 11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m. (Sunday 12:00 noon–1:00 p.m.)

Dinner: 6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Rates for cafeteria meals are:

Breakfast: \$9.75

Lunch: \$10.50

Dinner: \$12.75

All cafeteria meals are served in the dining hall of Goldsworth Valley II; cafeteria lines enter the dining area from both the Harvey-Garneau and Eicher-LeFevre sides of the complex. Tickets for cafeteria meals can be purchased as a part of Congress registration.

## **GATEHOUSE CAFÉ**

The Gatehouse Café in the Exhibits Hall in Valley III provides sandwiches, soup, salad, fruit, bagels, muffins, chips, beverages, and assorted snacks. The hours are:

Thursday–Friday: 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

## **BERNHARD CAFÉ**

The Bernhard Café serves an array of deli sandwiches, bagels, fresh fruits, salads, nachos, soft pretzels, and snack foods and candy. Health and beauty items and sundries are also available. For the Congress, the café is open:

Thursday–Friday: 7:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 7:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

During the Congress, a complete breakfast and lunch menu is also served:

Thursday–Saturday: 7:30–10:00 a.m. (breakfast)

Thursday–Saturday: 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. (lunch)

# Food

## **SCHNEIDER CAFÉ**

The Schneider Café serves grab-n-go sandwiches, soft pretzels, and a wide selection of chips, candy, and snacks. Salads and fresh fruits are also available. For the Congress, the café is open:

Thursday–Friday: 8:00 a.m.–3:45 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. –3:30 p.m.

## **FLOSSIE’S CAFÉ**

Located on the second floor of Sangren Hall, Flossie’s serves an array of grab-n-go sandwiches, bagels, fresh fruits, salads, nachos, soft pretzels, frozen meals, and other various snack foods. Flossie’s is open during the Congress:

Thursday: 8:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

## **MUG SHOTS**

Specialty coffees and teas and assorted pastries are sold at Mug Shots inside Britton-Hadley Hall (Valley I). For the Congress, Mug Shots is open:

Thursday–Saturday: 7:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

## **BRONCO MALL**

The Bronco Mall on the ground floor of the Bernhard Center is home to Biggby Coffee, Santorini Island Grill, and Subway. Hours are limited during the Congress.

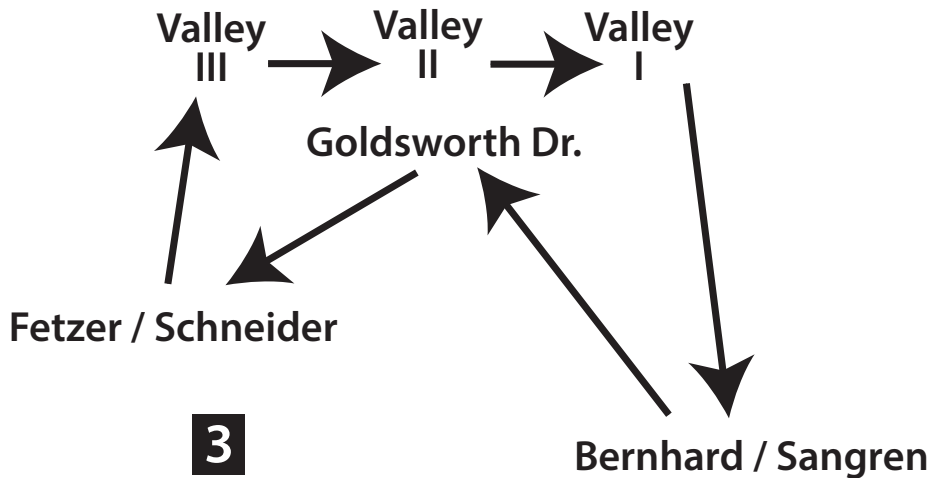
## **CASH BARS**

There are shared cash bars in the lobbies of the Bernhard Center (2nd floor) and the Fetzer Center on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings.

## **AREA RESTAURANTS**

Lists of Kalamazoo area restaurants, some within walking distance of Congress locations, are available at registration. The Congress tends to coincide with high school prom weekend, so do make reservations in advance, especially for large groups.

## Campus Shuttles



### Bernhard-Fetzer Express

#### CAMPUS SHUTTLE (Route 3)

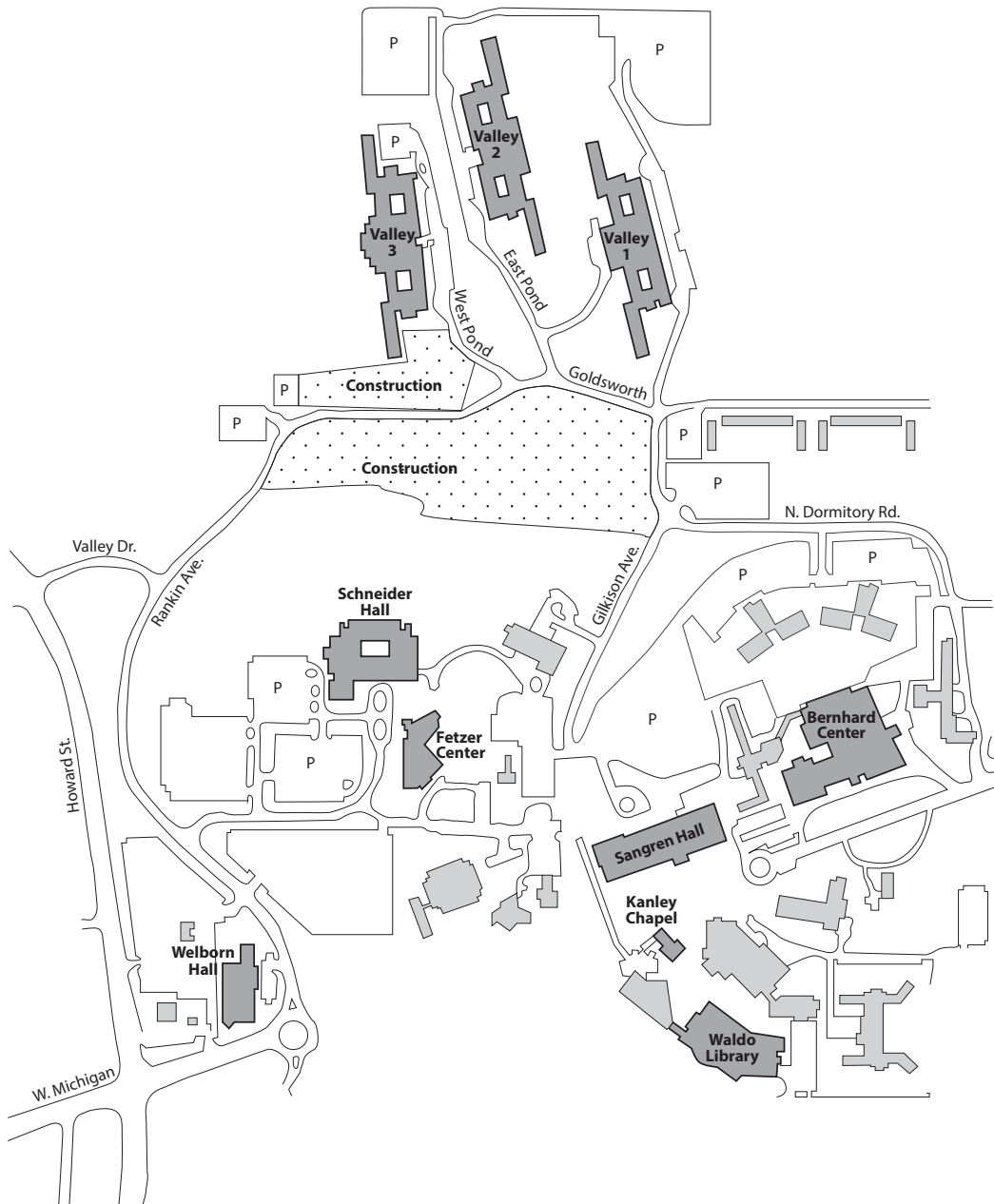
The campus shuttle stops at Congress locations on campus on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. and from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Sunday.

#### BERNHARD-FETZER EXPRESS

The express runs from 8:00 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday and from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Sunday.

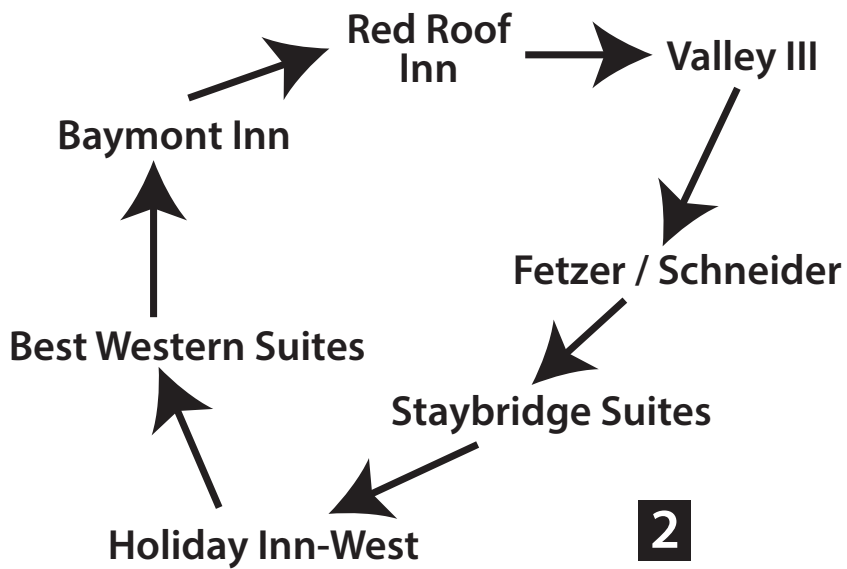
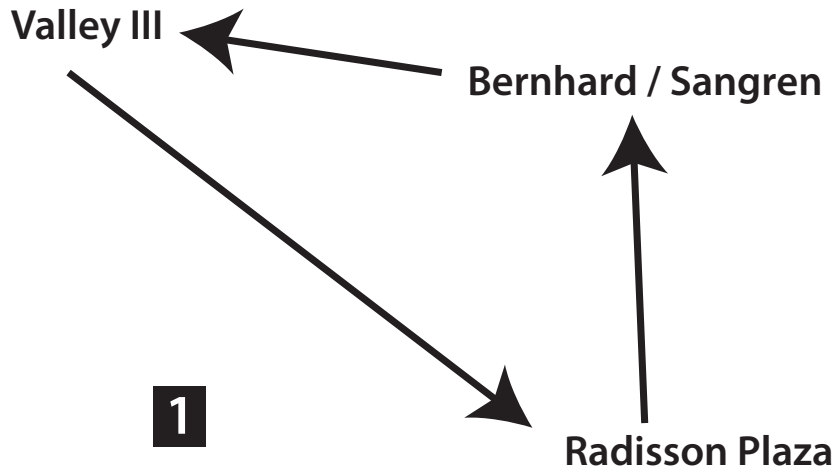
The Medieval Institute is grateful to the Offices of the Vice President for Business and Finance and the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs for their support of enhanced campus shuttle service for the 2016 Congress.

# Construction



Major construction projects on campus promise challenges, especially for parking near the Goldworth Valley residence halls, in 2016. Congress attendees will want to consider the advantages of using our campus shuttle bus system.

## Hotel Shuttles



# Hotel Shuttle Schedules

## RADISSON SHUTTLE (Route 1)

Beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday and ending at 12:40 p.m. on Sunday.

Departing Radisson	Departing Valley III	Departing Radisson	Departing Valley III
7:00 a.m.	7:20 a.m.	3:40 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
7:40 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	4:20 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
8:20 a.m.	8:40 a.m.	5:00 p.m.	5:20 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	9:20 a.m.	5:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
9:40 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	6:20 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
10:20 a.m.	10:40 a.m.	7:00 p.m.*	7:20 p.m.*
11:00 a.m.	11:20 a.m.	7:40 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
11:40 a.m.	12:00 noon	8:20 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
12:20 p.m.**	12:40 p.m.**	9:00 p.m.	9:20 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	1:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
1:40 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	10:20 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
2:20 p.m.	2:40 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	11:20 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:20 p.m.		

\* first departure on Wednesday

\*\* final departure on Sunday

## WEST SIDE HOTELS SHUTTLE (Route 2)

Beginning at 7:00 a.m. on Thursday and ending at 12:40 p.m. on Sunday (*Staybridge Suites, Holiday Inn–West, Best Western Suites, Baymont Inn, Red Roof Inn–West*)

Buses depart Staybridge Suites on the hour, starting at 7:00 a.m., with the last trip to campus at 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday and at noon on Sunday.

Buses depart Valley III at 45 minutes after the hour, starting at 7:45 a.m., with the last trip from Valley III at 10:45 p.m. on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday and at 12:45 p.m. on Sunday.

\*\*\* Saturday Night Dance: final departure from the Bernhard Center for all hotels at 12:30 a.m.

# Facilities

## LOCATIONS

Congress locations—which include a conference facility, the student union, two classroom buildings, and student residence halls—are spread around the Western Michigan University campus. Medieval Institute shuttle buses provide transportation among Congress locations, with buses running continuously from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, and until 1:00 p.m. on Sunday. Walking is often the faster option, though, and many veteran Congress attendees recommend wearing comfortable shoes.

## COMPUTING SERVICES

Congress registrants have access to the computer labs in the Bernhard Center and at the University Computing Center (UCC) upon presentation of their Congress badges and picture ID.

The lab in the UCC is open 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., Monday–Friday.

The lab in the Bernhard Center is open:

Monday–Friday: 8:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.

Saturday–Sunday: 8:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.

Congress registrants may print in reasonable quantities in the computer labs for free. Printouts from the public computers in the Fetzer Center are 10¢ per page. Boarding passes and Session Proposal Forms, but not longer documents, may be printed at Congress registration (Eldridge 305) when on-site registration is open (Wednesday, noon–midnight; Thursday, 8:00 a.m.–midnight; Friday, 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.; and Saturday, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.), as well as Sunday morning, 8:00 a.m.–noon.

## FITNESS AND RECREATION

The fitness rooms in Valley II and Valley III are available for Congress registrants' use around the clock throughout the Congress. Congress registrants may, upon presentation of a Congress badge and a picture ID, use the facilities of the Student Recreation Center, at the rate of \$8.00 per visit or \$20.00 for the duration of the Congress. Cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, and Discover are accepted.

## LACTATION ROOMS

The Medieval Institute provides designated lactation rooms in the Bernhard Center (Bernhard 207) and the Fetzer Center (Fetzer 2052 and 2054). The key to the room in the Bernhard Center can be checked out from the Information Desk. The rooms in the Fetzer Center are accessible without a key through an outer door (Fetzer 2050) and can be locked from the inside. The Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship joins the Medieval Institute in sponsoring a pair of lactation rooms near Congress registration and the Exhibits Hall. The keys can be checked out from the Eldridge-Fox desk.



# **Logistics**

## **AUDIO-VISUAL ASSISTANCE**

Audio-visual equipment assistance is available in the Fetzer Center, the Bernhard Center, and Schneider Hall when sessions are running.

## **BADGES**

Each registrant receives a Congress badge; it should be worn throughout the Congress. You must wear your badge to attend sessions, visit the Exhibits Hall, attend the Saturday Night Dance, use the Student Recreation Center (for a fee), and use campus computer labs. The facilities and services of the Congress are available only to registered attendees.

## **WIRELESS INTERNET ACCESS**

Congress registrants with wireless-equipped laptops may obtain access to WMU's wireless network by following the instructions contained in their registration packets. Those planning to use the Internet during their presentations will need to establish a User ID in WMU's wireless system on their laptops in advance of the session. Wireless access is available throughout the campus, indoors and out.

## **CELL PHONE CHARGING STATIONS**

There are three cell phone charging stations in the Bernhard Center.

## **CHILD CARE**

Arrangements for child care are the responsibility of the parent(s). Your job posting can be made through WMU's Career and Student Employment Services at 269-387-2745 or [broncojobs@wmich.edu](mailto:broncojobs@wmich.edu). Please provide a description of the work, the general location, pay, hours, and anything else you would like the hoped-for child care provider to know, as well as your contact information.

## **HOMELAND SECURITY**

The address of on-campus housing for Homeland Security purposes is:  
1903 W. Michigan Ave.  
Kalamazoo, MI 49008

## **PHONES**

Telephones for use in residence hall sleeping rooms are available from the Eldridge-Fox desk throughout the Congress. Those telephones may be used for campus and local calls. A long distance calling card, available for purchase at the Eldridge-Fox desk, must be used for long distance calls. A bank of telephones is set up near Congress registration in Valley III (Fox 304). These telephones accept long distance calling cards. They are available around the clock throughout the Congress.

# Varia

## PROGRAMS

The Medieval Institute sends Congress programs to all U.S. addresses on its mailing list but limits international mailing of programs (including Canada) to individuals whose names appear in the program. Those attending the Congress from abroad whose names do not appear in that year's program receive their gratis copies upon arrival at the Congress in May.

In the United States, the Congress program goes out either Bulk Mail or, for those who have paid the premium charge, Priority Mail. If you would like to receive Priority Mail service for the 52nd Congress (2017), please add \$7.50 to your schedule of charges when you register for the 51st Congress.

Second copies of the printed program are available at the Congress at a cost of \$15.00. If you have forgotten to bring your program to the Congress, you will need to purchase a second copy.

Please email us at [medieval-institute@wmich.edu](mailto:medieval-institute@wmich.edu) if you change your address.

## SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

The Saturday Night Dance takes place in the East Ballroom of the Bernhard Center from 10:00 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. You should be ready to prove that you are 21 before you approach the cash bar. You must have a photo ID with you. You may not bring your own drinks to the dance. All other beverages and snacks are free. The Dance is a social occasion for registered attendees of the Congress only. Please bring your registration badge to the Bernhard Center: it is your ticket of entry.

## WORSHIP SERVICES

Daily Vespers	Friday–Saturday 5:15 p.m.	Fetzer 1040
Roman Catholic		
Daily Mass	Friday–Saturday 7:00 a.m.	Fetzer 1040
Sunday Mass	Saturday 7:00 p.m.	Fetzer 1040
	Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Fetzer 1005
Anglican (Episcopal)-Lutheran		
Sunday Eucharist	Sunday 7:00 a.m.	Fetzer 1040

**Lecture/Performance**

# *I Dilettosi Fiori*

*Fourteenth-Century Music for  
Clavicimbalum and Flutes*

*Corina Marti*

**Friday, May 13**

7:30 p.m.

Kanley Chapel

Western Michigan University



In a special collaboration with the Gilmore International Keyboard Festival, the Medieval Institute presents Corina Marti in a program of fourteenth-century music performed on historical instruments. An expert on medieval and Renaissance music, Marti is a Swiss-born artist on the faculty of the Schola Cantorum Basiliensis.



# **Exhibits Hall**

## **Goldsworth Valley III**

### Open Hours:

Thursday 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.  
Friday 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.  
Saturday 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

### Adjacent:

Daily Coffee Hours  
7:30–10:30 a.m.  
3:00–4:00 p.m.

Gatehouse Café  
Thursday–Friday 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.  
Saturday 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

Wine Hours 5:00–6:00 p.m.  
Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

The Mail Room  
&  
Goliard T-shirts and sundry items

# Exhibitors

As of January 28, 2016

ACMRS	Kubik Fine Books
Amber Elegance	Lexington Books
Arthuriana	Mackus Co. Illuminated Manuscripts
Baker Academic and Brazos Press	Mail Room
Bolchazy-Carducci Publishers	McFarland
Boydell & Brewer	Medieval Academy of America
Brepols Publishers	Medieval Institute Publications
Brill	Ohio State University Press
Broadview Press	Oxford University Press
Cambridge University Press	Paideia Institute for Humanistic Study
Carved Strings	Palgrave Macmillan
Casemate Academic	Peeters Publishers
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Griffinstone	University of Toronto Press
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Hackett Publishing Company	Wareham Forge
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ISD	
Kazoo Books	
King Alfred's Notebook	

## Plenary Lectures

### *How We Read J. R. R. Tolkien Reading Grendel's Mother*

Jane Chance  
Rice University

Friday, May 13  
8:30 a.m.

East Ballroom, Bernhard Center  
*sponsored by the Medieval Academy of America*



### *Religion and the End of the Roman West*

Ian Wood  
University of Leeds

Saturday, May 14  
8:30 a.m.

East Ballroom, Bernhard Center

# Advance Notice—2017 Congress

## 52nd International Congress on Medieval Studies May 11–14, 2017

### YOUR ACTION

If you want to organize a session or sessions: work through the appropriate organization and its representatives for a place as a Sponsored Session, OR propose a Special Session or Sessions. The deadline for session proposals—including sessions of papers, panel discussions, roundtables, poster sessions, workshops, demonstrations, and performances—is June 1. By the end of June the Committee will have chosen its slate for inclusion in the *Call for Papers*, published in July.

If you want to give a paper: consult the *Call for Papers* and determine whether a Sponsored or a Special Session may be hospitable to a proposal. Send a paper proposal to the contact person as soon as you can, but no later than **September 15**, OR submit your proposal directly to the Congress Committee for consideration for inclusion in a General Session.

### TIMING, EFFICIENCY, FAIRNESS

Planning for sessions at the next year's Congress should be well under way at each Congress as attendees interact and exchange ideas. The efficient organizer generally tries to line up speakers as soon as possible. Sessions that are “open” on June 2 may be closing or closed at any point along the timeline to the September 15 deadline. The organizer or the person proposing a paper who waits until the last minute may be very disappointed, failing to build a promising session or to place a paper, respectively.

### ABSOLUTE DEADLINES

For organizers of Sponsored and Special Sessions:

**June 1, 2016:** organizers propose sessions—including sessions of papers, panel discussions, roundtables, poster sessions, workshops, demonstrations, and performances—to the Congress Committee

**October 1, 2016:** organizers submit session information online through WMU's Digital Commons (ScholarWorks at WMU), with revisions permitted until October 15

For General Sessions:

**September 15, 2016:** individuals who wish to present papers send proposals to the Congress Committee at the Medieval Institute

# The Congress: How It Works

## THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The core of the Congress is the academic program, which consists of three broad types of sessions:

**Sponsored Sessions** are organized by learned societies, associations, and institutions. The organizers set predetermined topics, usually reflecting the considered aims and interests of the organizing group.

**Special Sessions** are organized by individual scholars and ad hoc groups. The organizers set predetermined topics, which are often narrowly focused.

**General Sessions** are organized by the Congress Committee at the Medieval Institute. Topics include all areas of medieval studies, with individual session topics determined by the topics of abstracts submitted and accepted.

## SOME POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

All Congress papers are expected to present unpublished original research never before offered at a national or international conference.

**Paper Presenter Eligibility.** All those working in the field of medieval studies, including graduate students and independent scholars and artists, are eligible to give a paper, if accepted, in any session. Enrolled undergraduate students, however, may give a paper, if accepted, only in the “Papers by Undergraduates” Special Sessions.

**Agreement to Deliver Papers in Person.** Submission of a paper proposal is considered agreement by the author to attend the Congress and to deliver the paper in person if it is accepted. It is a matter of Congress policy that papers are not read *in absentia*.

**One Paper per Participant.** The Congress Committee will schedule only one paper per participant, with the exception of plenary lecturers and those giving papers in the Saturday evening Pseudo Society session, who may give two papers.

**Multiple Submissions.** You are invited to propose one paper for one session. The Congress Committee reserves the right to disallow all participation to those who breach professional courtesy by making multiple submissions.

**Three Appearances per Participant.** The Congress Committee will schedule each participant as paper presenter, panelist, discussant, presider, workshop leader, or respondent for a maximum of three sessions. Organizers may organize as many sessions as the Committee approves.



# Travel Awards

## CONGRESS TRAVEL AWARDS

The Congress Travel Awards are available to participants giving papers on any aspect of medieval studies in Sponsored and Special Sessions. The intention of these awards is to draw scholars from regions of the world underrepresented at past Congresses. These include countries of the former Eastern Bloc, Latin America, Asia, and Africa. There are three awards for each Congress: one award of \$500, which is presented at the Congress, plus waiver of registration and room and board fees, and two awards that waive registration and room and board fees.

## EDWARDS MEMORIAL TRAVEL AWARDS

The Archibald Cason Edwards, Senior, and Sarah Stanley Gordon Edwards Memorial Travel Awards are available to emerging scholars who are presenting papers on European medieval art in Sponsored and Special Sessions. There are two awards for each Congress: \$250, which will be presented at the Congress, plus waiver of registration and room and board fees.

## GRÜNDLER TRAVEL AWARD

The Otto Gründler Travel Award is available to participants giving papers on any aspect of medieval studies in Sponsored and Special Sessions. Preference is given to Congress participants from central European nations. There is one award for each Congress: \$500, which is presented at the Congress, plus waiver of registration and room and board fees.

## KARRER TRAVEL AWARDS

The Kathryn M. Karrer Travel Awards are available to students enrolled in a graduate program in any field at the time of application who are presenting papers in Sponsored and Special Sessions at the International Congress on Medieval Studies. There are two awards for each Congress: \$250, which will be presented at the Congress, plus waiver of registration and room and board fees.

## TASHJIAN TRAVEL AWARDS

The Richard Rawlinson Center offers the David R. Tashjian Travel Awards to participants giving papers on topics in Anglo-Saxon studies in Sponsored and Special Sessions. There are two awards for Anglo-Saxonists from outside of North America for each Congress. Both awards offer a waiver of registration and room and board fees. One of these awards also carries a \$500 stipend, which is presented at the Congress.

## APPLICATION

The deadline for applications is November 1. See the Congress website for application requirements and procedures.

[wmich.edu/medievalcongress/awards](http://wmich.edu/medievalcongress/awards)

## Richard Rawlinson Center

The Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research fosters teaching and research in the history and culture of Anglo-Saxon England and in the broader field of manuscript studies. Named in memory of the founder of the Professorship of Anglo-Saxon at the University of Oxford, Richard Rawlinson (1690–1755), the Center opened in May 1994, and in 2005 it received the endowment established by Georgian Rawlinson Tashjian and David Reitler Tashjian to support its mission. A separate fund, also endowed by the Tashjian family, supports a study fellowship, awarded in 2015 to Vajra Regan for manuscript study in Cambridge and Wrocław.

The Center is sponsoring two sessions at the 51st Congress: “1016, Year of Three Kings,” organized by Donald G. Scragg, with papers by Elaine Treharne and Barbara Yorke (the 2016 Richard Rawlinson Center Congress speaker); and “Wulfstan of York, Legislator and Advisor to Kings,” organized by Jana K. Schulman, with papers by Jill Fitzgerald and Nicholas Schwartz and a response by Christopher A. Jones.



### NEH SUMMER INSTITUTE

In summer 2016, the Richard Rawlinson Center and the Department of English host a National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute for College and University Faculty, the first in Kalamazoo since Paul E. Szarmach’s 1999 institute on Anglo-Saxon England. Titled “Teaching *Beowulf* in the Context of Old Norse-Icelandic Literature” and directed by Jana K. Schulman, the Institute focuses on *Beowulf*, engaging participants in learning about or refreshing their knowledge of the poem and its cultural and historical background in conjunction with various Old Norse-Icelandic literary texts in translation. Detailed background information about the culture, religions, and history of Anglo-Saxon England and medieval Iceland will provide participants with a synergetic awareness of and appreciation for the literature of Anglo-Saxon England and medieval Iceland.

Lecturers include Robert D. Fulk, Dawn M. Hadley, Heather O’Donoghue, Gísli Sigurðsson, and Kevin J. Wanner. In this four-week institute, participants immerse themselves in a study of *Beowulf*, *The Saga of Grettir the Strong*, *The Saga of Halfdan, Foster-son of Brana*, and *The Saga of King Hrolf Kraki*. Secondary readings and lectures abound on oral tradition, folklore, heroic cultures, kingship, troll fights, and more.

Those interested in applying should know that the application deadline is March 1, 2016.

[wmich.edu/beowulf](http://wmich.edu/beowulf)

# Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies

The Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies encourages and facilitates research on all aspects of the Cistercian tradition and in the broader field of religious traditions. The Center sponsors sessions at the International Congress on Medieval Studies and collaborates with the University Libraries on digitization projects. Through the Center, the Medieval Institute offers a Graduate Certificate in the History of Monastic Movements, which is open to students enrolled in a graduate degree program at Western Michigan University. The Center's advisory board meets annually at the International Congress on Medieval Studies. The Center's current Interim Director is Susan M. B. Steuer, associate professor, University Libraries.

The Center is currently developing two digital projects. The Monastic Gazetteer is planned as an interactive map that will chart the geographic scope of monastic movements (beginning with Western monasticism) over time and provide tools for analysis and scholarly communication. The Janauschek Portal is a collaborative effort with the Verein zur Gründung und Förderung der "Europäischen Akademie für Cisterciensenforschung" im ehemaligen Kloster Lehnin and the compilers of *Cistopedia: Encyclopedia Cisterciensis*. The portal is intended to provide access to unpublished manuscript material on Cistercian monasteries compiled by Leopold Janauschek (1827–1898), author of *Originum Cisterciensium*, volume 1 (1877) and *Bibliographia Bernardina* (1891). This material includes the notes for the unpublished second volume of the *Originum*, which was to focus upon foundations for women.

Sponsoring six sessions of papers at the 51st Congress on a variety of topics pertaining to the medieval history of the Cistercian order, the Center is also offering an additional three panels on Thursday, May 12, at the Lee Honors College on WMU's campus: "Developing Cistercian Religion and Community," "Cistercian Networks and Technologies," and "A Roundtable Discussion on the Role of Silence in Religious Discipline." These sessions are open to the public. All sessions are organized by Susan M. B. Steuer.

The Center was established in 2010 as a research center under the aegis of the Medieval Institute as the successor to the Institute of Cistercian Studies, which had been founded in 1973 as a cooperative venture between Western Michigan University and Cistercian Publications, Inc.

[wmich.edu/medieval/research/cistercian](http://wmich.edu/medieval/research/cistercian)

# M.A. Program in Medieval Studies

While allowing students to pursue specialized interests, the Master of Arts in medieval studies is intended to provide them with a broad interdisciplinary background in medieval history, languages, literature, philosophy, and religion.

## COURSEWORK

A total of 32 hours of coursework, or 35 hours for thesis writers, including 14 hours of required core courses, a 6000-level theory or method course; 12 hours, or 9 hours for thesis writers, of electives at the 6000-level or above; and MDVL 6900, Medieval Studies Capstone Writing Seminar. Thesis writers take 6 hours of thesis credit (MDVL 7000).

## CORE COURSES

- ENGL 5300, Medieval Literature (3 credit hours)
- HIST 5501, Medieval History Proseminar (3 credit hours)
- LAT 5600, Medieval Latin (4 credit hours)
- MDVL 5300, Introduction to Medieval Studies (1 credit hour)
- REL 5000, Historical Studies in Religion: Medieval Christianity (3 credit hours)

## LANGUAGES

Latin and a second medieval or a modern language are required.

## ORAL EXAMINATION

The hour-long oral examination is an opportunity for faculty and the student to explore content in medieval studies based on the student's coursework and written work completed in MDVL 6900. The examination committee will be composed of three members named by the Director in consultation with the student. The student will submit the two Capstone Writing Seminar papers to the committee no less than two weeks prior to the examination date. Students will receive an assessment of High Pass, Pass, Low Pass, or Fail. If a student fails the examination, the examining faculty will determine whether the student is offered a one-time re-examination to be completed within 12 months of the first examination date.

## THESIS (optional)

With the thesis advisor's approval of a prospectus, a student may complete the degree by producing a master's thesis under the direction of a thesis committee. The committee will be composed by the Director in consultation with the student.

## APPLICATION

The deadline for complete applications is January 15 for fall (September) admission. The deadline for international admissions, as well as application fees, may vary from those for domestic admissions.

See the Medieval Institute website for application procedures.  
[wmich.edu/medieval/academics/graduate/apply](http://wmich.edu/medieval/academics/graduate/apply)

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# About Western Michigan University

Western Michigan University is a national research university enrolling nearly 24,000 students from across the United States and 100 other countries. Founded in 1903, it is a learner-centered, discovery-driven, and globally engaged public university that stands out among America's more than 4,600 higher education institutions.

## **SUPERIOR, SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT**

WMU combines the resources of a major research university with the personal attention and friendly atmosphere often found at a small college. Taking full advantage of that combination gives students the edge they need to succeed in graduate school, the workplace, and life.

Students attending WMU enjoy top-notch programs, teachers, facilities, and hands-on learning opportunities. They expect and receive one-on-one attention from senior-level faculty members and quickly find that advisors, career specialists, mentors and tutors are within easy reach. In addition, most classes are relatively small in size and taught by the University's full-time professors.

## **OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

The University offers 147 bachelor's, 73 master's, and 30 doctoral programs, along with one program leading to the specialist degree and several others that lead to graduate-level certificates. These programs are offered through seven degree-granting colleges: Arts and Sciences, Aviation, Education and Human Development, Engineering and Applied Sciences, Fine Arts, Haworth College of Business, and Health and Human Services.

Many programs rank among the top of their kind in the country, giving WMU a national or international reputation as one of the best places to study in fields as varied as aviation flight science, creative writing, engineering management technology, evaluation, experimental atomic physics, geology, integrated supply management, jazz studies, medieval studies, occupational therapy, paper engineering, psychology, sales and business marketing, and speech pathology.

## **DYNAMIC, DIVERSE CAMPUS**

WMU creates a learning environment that is not only challenging, but also supportive and inclusive. A wide range of resources and services focus on academic and career success, with several dedicated to meeting the special needs of such select groups as first-year students, transfer students, military veterans, and youths who have aged out of the foster care system.

Students come to WMU from around the world, with representatives of minority groups making up 21% of the student body and international students 8%. They enjoy a vibrant campus atmosphere featuring nearly 400 student organizations, including fraternities and sororities, professional associations, faith-based groups, club sports, and hobby groups. The University also provides acclaimed arts programs, a lively cultural calendar, and numerous intramural, health, and fitness programs.



## Endowment and Gift Funds

Western Michigan University and its Medieval Institute appreciate your coming to the International Congress on Medieval Studies. Your presence, whether as a plenarist, presenter, presider, or auditor contributes to the vitality of the gathering.

Another way you can contribute to the mission of the Medieval Institute is by donating to one of the Institute's three endowments.

- Your donation to the **Otto Gründler Fund** will help younger scholars, primarily from central European countries, attend the Congress by providing travel awards.
- Your donation to the **Georgian and David Tashjian Endowment** will be used to support the Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research: by keeping the library current, sponsoring an annual Congress speaker, and aiding students in our M.A. program.
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# The Otto Gründler Book Prize

Western Michigan University announces the twenty-first Otto Gründler Book Prize to be awarded in May 2017 at the 52nd International Congress on Medieval Studies.

The Prize, instituted by Dr. Diether H. Haenicke, then President of Western Michigan University, honored and now memorializes Professor Gründler for his distinguished service to the University and his lifelong dedication to the international community of medievalists. It consists of an award of \$1,000.00 to the author of a book or monograph in any area of medieval studies that is judged by the selection committee to be an outstanding contribution to its field.

## ELIGIBILITY

Authors from any country are eligible. The book or monograph may be in any of the standard scholarly languages. To be eligible for the 2017 prize the book or monograph must have been published in 2015.

## NOMINATIONS

Readers or publishers may nominate books. Letters of nomination, 2–4 pages in length, should include sufficient detail and rationale so as to assist the committee in its deliberations. Supporting materials should make the case for the award. Readers' reports, if appropriate, and other letters attesting to the significance of the work would be helpful.

## SUBMISSION

Send letters of nomination and any supporting material by November 1, 2016, to:

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See the Institute's website for further information about eligibility and nominations.  
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**Fifty-First  
International Congress  
on Medieval Studies  
May 12–15, 2016**

**Wednesday, May 11**

Noon	<b>Registration</b> begins and continues daily Pre-registered Congress attendees may pick up their registration packets and check into pre-booked on-campus housing at any time until the end of the Congress.	Valley III Eldridge-Fox Lobby
	<b>On-site registration</b> (for those not pre-registered) Wednesday, noon–midnight Thursday, 8:00 a.m.–midnight Friday, 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m. Saturday, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Valley III Eldridge 305
Noon–5:00 p.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Valley III Eldridge 306
1:00 p.m.	<b>TEAMS (Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)</b> Board of Directors Meeting	Bernhard President's Dining Room
5:00–6:00 p.m.	<b>Director's Reception for Early Arrivals</b>	Valley III Eldridge 307
6:00–7:00 p.m.	<b>DINNER</b>	Valley II Dining Hall

**Thursday, May 12  
Morning Events**

7:00–8:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
7:30–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Valley II and III
8:30 a.m.	<b>Sources of Anglo-Saxon Literary Culture (SASLC)</b> Business Meeting	Valley III Stinson Lounge
9:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Bernhard and Fetzer

**Thursday, May 12  
10:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m.  
Sessions 1–47**

Session 1  
Valley III  
Stinson  
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**Old English Literature**

Presider: Erik A. Carlson, Univ. of Arkansas–Fort Smith

**Memory and Eternity: The Cross as *Theotokos* in the *Dream of the Rood***

Wendy Marie Hoofnagle, Univ. of Northern Iowa

***Be his Agnum Ingepance: Dialogue and Devotional Scripting in King Alfred's Soliloquies***

Kaylin O'Dell, Cornell Univ.

**Sweeping Hrothgar's Floor: Fletwerod, Forswapan, and the Function(s) of Humor in Old English Poetry**

Max Stevenson, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Stranger Danger: Understanding Unferth's Hostile Assessment of Beowulf**

Maggie Heeschen, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ.

Session 2  
Valley III  
Stinson  
Lounge

**Twenty Years of the Malory Companion (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Cory James Rushton, St. Francis Xavier Univ.

Presider: Kevin S. Whetter, Acadia Univ.

**Malory and His Contemporaries**

Megan Leitch, Cardiff Univ.

**Malory's Identity**

Thomas H. Crofts, III, East Tennessee State Univ.

**Malory and Form**

Cory James Rushton

**Malory's Women: Radical Subjects**

Amy S. Kaufman, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

Respondent: Dorsey Armstrong, Purdue Univ.

Session 3  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**Chris Given-Wilson's New Yale Biography of Henry IV of England (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Society of the White Hart

Organizer: Mark Arvanigian, California State Univ.–Fresno

Presider: Mark Arvanigian

A roundtable discussion with Craig Taylor, Univ. of York; Douglas L. Biggs, Univ. of Nebraska–Kearney; Michael Bennett, Univ. of Tasmania; George Stowe, La Salle Univ.; and Chris Given-Wilson, Univ. of St. Andrews.

Session 4  
Valley II  
Garneau  
Lounge

**Rhineland Partners in Twelfth-Century Discourses**

Sponsor: Divinity School, Univ. of Chicago

Organizer: Robert J. Porwoll, Univ. of Chicago

Presider: Robert J. Porwoll

**Honorius Augustodunensis: Remembering Creation in the Twelfth Century**

Daniel Yingst, Univ. of Chicago

**"Merely Reading It": Hildegard's Theory of Chant in Letter 23 and the Privatization of the Divine Office**

Mark Roosien, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Vision as Theological Critique: Elisabeth of Schönau and the Schoolmen**

Matthew Vanderpoel, Univ. of Chicago

### **Addressing Career Diversity for Medievalists (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: CARA (Committee on Centers and Regional Associations, Medieval Academy of America)  
 Organizer: Michael A. Ryan, Univ. of New Mexico  
 Presider: Sarah Davis-Secord, Univ. of New Mexico

A panel discussion with Kristina Markman, Univ. of California–Los Angeles; Michael A. Ryan; and Suzanne Conklin Akbari, Univ. of Toronto; and a response by Sarah Davis-Secord.

Session 5  
 Valley I  
 Hadley  
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### **A Queen Is Born: Celebrating the Five-Hundredth Birthday of Queen Mary I of England**

Sponsor: Royal Studies Network  
 Organizer: Valerie Schutte, Independent Scholar  
 Presider: Charles Beem, Univ. of North Carolina–Pembroke

#### **Chaucer, the Chaucer Tradition, and Marian Religious Politics**

Nancy Bradley Warren, Texas A&M Univ.

#### **Honoring an Unexpected Heir: Presenting Gifts to Princess Mary**

Valerie Schutte

Session 6  
 Valley I  
 Ackley  
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### **The Medieval Tradition of Natural Law I**

Organizer: Harvey Brown, Western Univ.  
 Presider: Harvey Brown

#### **Tierney, Ockham, and the Ideological Context of the Discourse on Natural Rights**

Takashi Shogimen, Univ. of Otago

#### **Making Sense of “Indifference”: A Puzzle in Tierney’s Account of Permissive Natural Law**

Paul J. Cornish, Grand Valley State Univ.

#### **Permission and Liberty: The Ambiguity**

Richard Friedman, Independent Scholar

#### **Francisco Suarez and Permissive Natural Law**

Toy-Fung Tung, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

Session 7  
 Valley I  
 Ackley  
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### **From Physics to Metaphysics: Change and Causation in Medieval Philosophy**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval Philosophy, Georgetown Univ.  
 Organizer: Robert Joseph Matava, Christendom College, Graduate School of Theology  
 Presider: Therese Scarpelli Cory, Univ. of Notre Dame

#### **William Ockham on Divine Power and Possibility**

Joshua Blander, King’s College

#### **Peter of Palude on Secondary Causes and Divine Concurrence**

Zita Tóth, Fordham Univ.

#### **Epistemic Conditions on Causal Agency**

Sydney Penner, Asbury Univ.

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**Enforcement and Application: Building a Case for Early Medieval Legal Texts as Law and Literature**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities  
Organizer: Sharon Fischlowitz, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities/Mitchell-Hamline School of Law  
Presider: Melissa R. Kavanah, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**Gratian the Storyteller, Boccaccio the Lawyer: Legal and Literary Modes of Writing**

Grace Delmolino, Columbia Univ.

**Gnomes and Norms: Friendship in Anglo-Saxon Wisdom Poetry and Law**

Philip Timmerman, Univ. of Virginia

**Public Peace and Personal Purity: Gender, Communities, and Relationships in Secular Laws, Penitentials, and Literature of Anglo-Saxon England**

Rebecca Straple, Western Michigan Univ.

**From Rome to Rothair: Evidence of Roman Culture in Lombard Law**

Sharon Fischlowitz

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**In Search of Virginity (A Roundtable Discussion)**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Homosexuality in the Middle Ages (SSHMA)  
Organizer: Graham N. Drake, SUNY–Geneseo  
Presider: Graham N. Drake

**Virgin Words**

Lucas Wood, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Paradoxes of Virginity in the Anchorhold**

Susannah Chewning, Union County College

**On the Wyrd-ness of Virgins**

Lisa M. C. Weston, California State Univ.–Fresno

**Virginity in Chaucer**

Natalie Grinnell, Wofford College

**Iberian Virgins**

Felipe E. Rojas, Univ. of Chicago

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**Fathering, Fostering, Translating, and Creating in the Works of J. R. R. Tolkien**

Sponsor: History Dept., Texas A&M Univ.–Commerce  
Organizer: Judy Ann Ford, Texas A&M Univ.–Commerce  
Presider: Anne Reaves, Marian Univ.

**Medieval Fostering in the First and Third Ages of Middle-earth: Elrond as Fóstri and Fóstr-son**

Kristine Larsen, Central Connecticut State Univ.

**A Stylistic Analysis of Fatherhood and Fostering in *The Silmarillion***

Robin Anne Reid, Texas A&M Univ.–Commerce

**Tolkien's *Beowulf*: A Translation of Scholar and Poet**

Yvette Kisor, Ramapo College

**Imagined: Tolkien in the Mind of God**

Skyler King, College of the Desert

## Emblem Studies

Sponsor: Society for Emblem Studies  
Organizer: Sabine Mödersheim, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison  
Presider: Sabine Mödersheim

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### **England's Military Prowess as Seen through the Emblems of Geoffrey Whitney, 1585**

Valerie J. Erickson, Independent Scholar

### **Bernardino Poccetti's Emblems of Animals in the Ceiling of Palazzo Marsichi Lenzi, Florence**

Liana De Girolami Cheney, Univ. degli Studi di Bari Aldo Moro

### **A More Perfect Union: Portrait of the Paradise Archetype in the Seal of the City of New York**

Chris M. Jones, Coat of Arms Foundation

## Crusading and the Byzantine Legacy in the Northwestern Black Sea Region

Sponsor: Research Group on Manuscript Evidence; Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Florida  
Organizer: Mildred Budny, Research Group on Manuscript Evidence  
Presider: Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida

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### **Between Byzantium, the Mongol Empire, Genoa, and Moldavia: Trade Centers in the Northwestern Black Sea Area**

Laurențiu Rădvan, Univ. Alexandru Ioan Cuza

### **The Crusade in the Black Sea Region: Discourses, Projects, and Actions from the Thirteenth to the Fifteenth Century**

Ovidiu Cristea, Institutul de Istorie "Nicolae Iorga"

### **A Plan for the Annihilation of Mehmed II in Moldavia (1475–1476)**

Liviu Pilat, Univ. Alexandru Ioan Cuza

### **Warriors' Corpses in the Moldavian Anti-Ottoman War of the Fifteenth–Sixteenth Centuries**

Bodgan-Petru Maleon, Univ. Alexandru Ioan Cuza

## Archaeology of the Medieval Iberian Peninsula: Another Way of Approaching Its History

Sponsor: Univ. Autónoma de Madrid  
Organizer: Fernando Valdés Fernández, Univ. Autónoma de Madrid  
Presider: Fernando Valdés Fernández

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### **The Archaeology of Sepharad: Risks, Challenges, and Opportunities from a Renewed Field of Research in Spain**

Alexander Bar-Magen Numhauser, Univ. Autónoma de Madrid

### **Reconstructing Medieval Nájera (La Rioja, Spain)**

Victor Martínez, Monmouth College, and Scott de Brestian, Central Michigan Univ.

### **Beneath the Floor of Córdoba's Friday Mosque: The Impact of Félix Hernández's Excavation on the Valorization of Its Cultural Layers**

Francine Giese, Univ. Zürich

### **Temples, Orientations, and Identities: From Al-Andalus to México City**

Rodrigo O. Tirado Salazar, Univ. Autónoma de Madrid

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**Affect and Emotion in Medieval Iberia I**

Sponsor: American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain (AARHMS)

Organizer: Elena Woodacre, Univ. of Winchester

Presider: Simon R. Doubleday, Hofstra Univ.

**Tears and Fears in Beatus Manuscripts**

Alicia Miguélez Cavero, Univ. de Lisboa

**Compassion in the Cancioneros**

Henry Berlin, Univ. at Buffalo

**“Hobe por vos tristicia, agora he placer”: Emotion in the *Libro de Apolonio***

Emily C. Francomano, Georgetown Univ.

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**Unexpected Learning: The Variety of Educational Practices in Medieval Monastic Communities (Eighth- to Twelfth-Century)**

Sponsor: Henri Pirenne Institute for Medieval Studies; Research Unit “Religion and Society in the Early and Central Middle Ages” (RESOMA), Univ. Gent

Organizer: Micol Long, Univ. Gent

Presider: Sigbjørn Olsen Sønnesyn, Durham Univ.

**Will There Be Any Required Reading? The Production and Use of Textbooks in the Carolingian Monastery**

Matthew D. Ponesse, Ohio Dominican Univ.

**Finding Space for Learning during the Abbacy of Peter the Venerable**

Marc Saurette, Carleton Univ.

**The Emotions of Learning as Attested by Monastic Letters (Eleventh–Twelfth Century)**

Micol Long

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**Medieval Iberia**

Presider: Jan K. Bulman, Auburn Univ.–Montgomery

**Redefining *Dhimmi*: The Creation of Legal Identities during the Arian, Islamic, and Catholic Conquests of the Iberian Peninsula between 589 and 1284**

Megan McDonie, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**The Muslim Rahmanid State as Frontier for William of Gellone and Bernard of Septimania**

Janet Sorrentino, Washington College

**Alexander the Great’s Two Bodies in the Spanish *Libro de Alexandre* and *Historia Novelada de Alejandro Magno***

Priya Ananth, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**This Land is Her Land: Women, Property, and Landownership in the Kingdom of Valencia**

Kari North, Univ. of Toronto



## **Feminist Readings of Obscenity**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)

Organizer: Nicole Nolan Sidhu, Eastern Carolina Univ.

Presider: Jennifer N. Brown, Marymount Manhattan College

### **“I am a woman, I may be bold”: Voicing Obscenity, Desire, and Pleasure in Middle English Singlewoman’s Songs**

Carissa M. Harris, Temple Univ.

### **Chaucer’s *Physician’s Tale*, Feminist Intersectionality, and Epistemological Obscenity**

Andrea Jones, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

### **Male Penetration on the Margins of an Early Fourteenth-Century Arthurian Romance**

Emily Shartrand, Univ. of Delaware

### **Fabliau to Gonzo: What Medieval Obscenity Can Teach Us about the Modern Pornography Debate**

Nicole Nolan Sidhu

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## ***Speculatio*, Medieval and Modern**

Sponsor: Material Collective

Organizer: Beate Fricke, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Niklaus Largier, Univ. of California–Berkeley

Presider: Maggie M. Williams, William Paterson Univ.

### **A Rose by Any Other Name: Speculating about the Rose Window**

Elizabeth Carson Pastan, Emory Univ.

### **Resisting Speculation/Embracing Speculation**

Jennifer Borland, Oklahoma State Univ.

### **Medieval Tupperware**

Ittai Weinryb, Bard Graduate Center

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## ***Othello*: Pre-texts, Texts, and After-Texts**

Sponsor: Shakespeare at Kalamazoo

Organizer: Lea Luecking Frost, Lindenwood Univ.

Presider: Kavita Mudan Finn, Independent Scholar

### **Contarini, Othello, and the Duke of Venice**

Philip Goldfarb Styr, SUNY–Geneseo

### **Reframing *Othello* for the Twenty-First-Century College Classroom:**

### **Using Modern Productions to Examine Student Assumptions and Cultural Stereotypes**

Liberty S. Stanavage, SUNY–Potsdam

### **Farewell the Tranquil Mind: The After-Text of *Othello* in *Paradise Lost***

Jason R. Gildow, Nebraska Wesleyan Univ.

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**Medieval Military History I: Using Non-traditional Sources**

Sponsor: De Re Militari: The Society for Medieval Military History  
Organizer: Valerie Eads, School of Visual Arts  
Presider: Tracey-Anne Cooper, St. John's Univ., New York

**Christine de Pizan, Chivalry, and Feminism**

Sarah Wilk, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Colins of Beaumont: A Poet at the Battle of Crecy**

Michael Livingston, The Citadel

**Just Cause and Sinful Conduct in the Alliterative *Morte Arthure's* Roman War**

Andrew LiVecchi, Western Univ.

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**Mappings I: The Roman Heritage of Medieval Maps**

Organizer: Dan Terkla, Illinois Wesleyan Univ.; Felicitas Schmieder, FernUniv. in Hagen  
Presider: Dan Terkla

**The Roman Worldview and Its Legacy: An Introduction**

Emily Albu, Univ. of California–Davis

**Mapping Late Antique Heritage around 1500**

Felicitas Schmieder

**Wind as a Means to Structure the World and Its Parts**

Ingrid Baumgärtner, Univ. Kassel

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**Surrounding Medieval Women: Female Occupation of Secular Architecture and Landscape**

Sponsor: Dept. of Art History, Northwestern Univ.  
Organizer: Scott David Miller, Northwestern Univ.; Sarah W. Townsend, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Sarah W. Townsend

**The Geography of Possession: Reframing Women's Spatial Practices in Thirteenth-Century Insular Romances**

Gabriela Cavalheiro, King's College London

**Staging the Home in Chaucer's *Reeve's Tale***

Sarah Stanbury, College of the Holy Cross

**Female Desire and the Bedchamber in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Charlotte Knight, King's College London

**The Spatial Practice of Pregnancy in Early Valois France**

Scott David Miller

### Medieval Settlement and Landscape in Modern Ireland

Organizer: Vicky McAlister, Southeast Missouri State Univ.; Jennifer L. Immich, Metropolitan State Univ. of Denver

Presider: Terry Barry, Trinity College, Univ. of Dublin

#### Caherconnell, County Clare, Western Ireland: From Medieval to Modern Settlement Landscape

Michelle Comber, National Univ. of Ireland–Galway

#### Becoming a Castle in a “National Landscape Strategy for Ireland” World: Exploring the Concept of Meaning in Landscape Archaeology

Jennifer L. Immich

#### Chicken Coop, Pigeon Loft, or Tower House? Chasing Medieval Settlement and Landscape Features in the Present Day

Vicky McAlister

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#### Transhumance in Later Medieval and Early Modern Ireland: Integrating Archaeological and Historical Sources in the Study of Pastoral Farming

Eugene Costello, National Univ. of Ireland–Galway

*Recipient of the NUI, Galway's Sieg & Dunlop Travel Bursary*

### Dante I: Genre and Medium

Sponsor: Dante Society of America

Organizer: Alison Cornish, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

Presider: Kristina M. Olson, George Mason Univ.

#### Lifting Up the Low Reeds: The Status of Genre in Dante's *Eclogues*

Jonathan Combs-Schilling, Ohio State Univ.

#### Dante/Giotto – Matter and Relief

Henrike Christiane Lange, Univ. of California–Berkeley

#### Interpretative Mediations of Dante's *Commedia*: From the Editio Princeps to New Digital Practices

Isabella Magni, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington, Old Dominion Univ.

#### *E, vinta, vince*: Poetic Appropriation of Conquest in the *Commedia*

Molly Bronstein, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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### Cornering the Snarket (Return of the Sting)

Sponsor: Southeastern Medieval Association (SEMA)

Organizer: Alan Baragona, James Madison Univ.

Presider: Elizabeth Rambo, Campbell Univ.

#### Sarcasm in Medieval German Literature from the *Hildebrandslied* to *Fortunatus*: The Dark Side of Human Behavior

Albrecht Classen, Univ. of Arizona

#### “A lowed laghtur that lady logh”: Laughter, Smiles, and Sarcasm in Middle English Romance

Debra E. Best, California State Univ.–Dominguez Hills

#### Some Instances of “Derision with a Certain Severity” in Medieval English Literature

Brian S. Lee, Univ. of Cape Town

#### Going to Hell Defensively: Sarcasm in the York “Fall of the Angels” Play

Elza C. Tiner, Lynchburg College

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**Networks of Transmission: Histories and Practices of Collecting Medieval Manuscripts and Documents**

Sponsor: Schoenberg Database of Manuscripts Project, Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies  
Organizer: Lynn Ransom, Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies  
Presider: Lynn Ransom

**The Migrations of Sir Alfred Chester Beatty's Western Manuscripts**

Laura Cleaver, Trinity College, Univ. of Dublin

**Selling Medieval Books in America before 1870**

Scott J. Gwara, Univ. of South Carolina–Columbia

**The Glossa Ordinaria Manuscripts of Monza Cathedral**

E. Ann Matter, Univ. of Pennsylvania

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**Music and Writing**

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.; Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross  
Presider: Anna Kathryn Grau

**Iseult's Musicianship in the Early French Tristan Tradition**

Juliana Chapman, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**Musical Notation and the Scriptive Revolution**

Graeme Boone, Ohio State Univ.

**Venerations of the Cross in Old Beneventan Chant: Formation, Degeneration, and Reconstitution of a Liturgy**

Sophie Burton, Univ. of Bristol

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**"Hit iseie aboc iwrite": Twelfth- and Thirteenth-Century Vernacular Devotional Manuscripts**

Sponsor: Early Middle English Society  
Organizer: Jenny C. Bledsoe, Emory Univ.  
Presider: Carla Maria Thomas, New York Univ.

**Constructing Form in the Twelfth Century: The Worcester Fragments and Homiletic Verse**

Leslie Carpenter, Fordham Univ.

**A Hidden Link: Lambeth Palace Library MS 522 and *Le Chasteu d'amur***

Emily Ulrich, Yale Univ.

**The Virgin, the Vernacular, and MS Royal 17 A. xxvii**

Jenny C. Bledsoe

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**Medieval German Trojan War Stories of Herbort von Fritzlar, Konrad von Würzburg, and Others: Interpretations, Translations, Interpolations, Adaptations**

Sponsor: Oswald-von-Wolkenstein-Gesellschaft  
Organizer: Sibylle Jefferis, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Siegrid Schmidt, Univ. Salzburg

**Der Trojanerkrieg**

Ingrid Bennewitz, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg

**Konrad von Würzburg *Trojanerkrieg* und die Alchemie**

Antje Wittstock, Univ. Siegen

**Der Einfluss des *Lieds von Troja* Herborts von Fritzlar (und seiner Quelle, Benoîts *Roman de Troie*) auf die *Minnegrotte* in Gottfrieds von Strassburg *Tristan: Das Alabasterzimmer (La Chambre de Beautés)***

Sibylle Jefferis

**Medicine and Manuscripts, 900–1150**

Sponsor: Dept. of History, Durham Univ.

Organizer: Sarah Gilbert, Durham Univ.

Presider: Wendy J. Turner, Augusta Univ.

**Manuscript Evidence for the Knowledge and Practice of Pharmacy in the Early Middle Ages**

Nicholas Everett, Univ. of Toronto

**Teaching Glosses in the Earliest Manuscripts of Macer Floridus's *De viribus herbarum***

Winston Black, Assumption College

**Anglo-Saxon Medical Recipes in Non-medical Manuscripts: Matters of Culture, Context, and Community**

Sarah Gilbert

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**Chronicles and Grimoires: The Occult as Political Commentary**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)

Organizer: Dominique Hoche, West Liberty Univ.

Presider: Dominique Hoche

**Eustache the Monk: Necromancy and Outlaw Politics**

Alexander L. Kaufman, Auburn Univ.–Montgomery

**Malory's *Morgan*: Witchcraft, Wisdom, and the Politics of Magical**

Matthew D. O'Donnell, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Myth, History, and Prophecy in Royal Genealogies**

Jaclyn Rajsic, Queen Mary, Univ. of London

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**Research Resources**

Presider: Danielle Trynoski, medievalists.net

**The View from the Library: What We Talk About When We Talk about Medieval Studies**

Kathleen M. Smith, Stanford Univ. Libraries, and Sarah Forzetting, Stanford Univ. Libraries

**Index Iuris: A Meta-Archive of Digital Medieval Legal History Sources**

Colin F. Wilder, Univ. of South Carolina

**Automated Character Spotting and Transcription Matching for Ancient Greek**

**Manuscripts: Anagnosis-a Web Tool (not only) for Papyrologists**

Vincenzo Damiani, Julius Maximilians Univ.-Würzburg

**Paperbound, or, Why We Need an Online Watermark Database**

S. C. Kaplan, Univ. of California–Santa Barbara

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**Ballad of the Lone Medievalist, or, How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Job (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Massachusetts State Universities Medieval Blog  
Organizer: Kisha G. Tracy, Fitchburg State Univ.  
Presider: John P. Sexton, Bridgewater State Univ.

A roundtable discussion with William Rogers, Univ. of Louisiana–Monroe; Thomas R. Leek, Univ. of Wisconsin–Stevens Point; Emily Leverett, Methodist Univ.; Amber Dunai, Texas A&M Univ.–Central Texas; Máire Johnson, Emporia State Univ.; Catherine A. Rock, Stark State College; Alexandra Sterling-Hellenbrand, Appalachian State Univ.; Sarah Barott, Bemidji State Univ., and Rachel Munson, Bemidji State Univ.

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**Looking Back at the Middle Ages**

Presider: Audrey Becker, Marygrove College

**Discovering and Inventing Early Medieval Lincolnshire, 1710–1755**

Dustin M. Frazier Wood, Bethany College

**A Corruptly Nostalgic Crusade: Horace Walpole’s Medievalism of the Crusades in *The Castle of Otranto***

Rachel Landers, Univ. of Alabama–Birmingham

**“Better than Anything Ancient”: Artifice, Authenticity, and William Morris’s Created Scandinavian Past**

Mimi Ensley, Univ. of Notre Dame

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**Networks and Connections in Medieval Central Europe: Archaeological and Historical Approaches**

Sponsor: Institut für Ur- und Frühgeschichte, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel  
Organizer: Donat Wehner, Institut für Ur- und Frühgeschichte, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel

Presider: Donat Wehner

**The Schleswig Waterfront during the Late Eleventh Century: Topography and Actors of a Widely Connected North European Trading Center**

Felix Rösch, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel

**Medieval Letters as Historical Sources? Some Methodological Reflections**

Volker Scior, Ruhr-Univ. Bochum

**Transylvania: The Christening of the Funeral Rite in Early Middle Ages (Ninth–Eleventh Centuries A.D.)**

Ioan Marian Tiplic, Univ. “Lucien Blaga” din Sibiu

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**Medieval Ecocriticisms: Why the Middle Ages Matter (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval Ecocriticisms  
Organizer: Heide Estes, Monmouth Univ.  
Presider: Heide Estes

**“A pade pikes on the polle”: Interpreting the Toads of *The Awntyrs off Arthur***

Kristin Bovaird-Abbo, Univ. of Northern Colorado

**Plowing the Medieval Roots of our Ecocritical Crisis**

Daniel Helbert, Univ. of British Columbia

**Economy and Ecology in the Pre-modern Web of Life**

William M. Rhodes, Univ. of Virginia

**(Other)worlding: Nature and Dominion in Arthurian Romance**

Julie Gafney, Graduate Center, CUNY

**Reproducing the Bans: Medieval Texts and Modern Angst about Ritual Slaughter**

Mo Pareles, New York Univ.

**Everyday Ecologies**

Myra J. Seaman, College of Charleston

**Were the Middle Ages Ecophobic?**

David Sprunger, Concordia College

**1016: Year of Three Kings**

Sponsor: Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research

Organizer: Donald G. Scragg, Univ. of Manchester

Presider: Donald G. Scragg

**Cnut, “Pius et Religiosus Rex Anglorum”?**

Elaine M. Treharne, Stanford Univ.

**The Year of the Three Kings: 1016 in the Context of Early Medieval Succession Disputes**

Barbara Yorke, Univ. of Winchester

*Richard Rawlinson Center Congress Speaker*

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**The Exeter Book Riddles and Poems**

Organizer: William F. Klein, Kenyon College

Presider: William F. Klein

**Warriors and the Exiled: Anthropomorphism and Weapons in the Exeter Book**

Abigail G. Robertson, Univ. of New Mexico

**“I Am Born from Many Mothers”: Sources and Analogues of the Exeter Riddles in the Bern Collection**

Thomas P. Klein, Idaho State Univ.

**Intertextual Source Study of the Prologue of *Guthlac A***

Dylan Wilkerson, Univ. of Toronto

**A Proposed Solution to Exeter Book Riddle 95**

Holly Tipton Hamby, Fisk Univ.

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**Beyond the Diocese of Orléans: In Memory of Thomas Head**

Sponsor: Hagiography Society; Medieval Club of New York; Medieval Studies Certificate Program, Graduate Center, CUNY

Organizer: Clare Wilson, Graduate Center, CUNY

Presider: Clare Wilson

**The Hagiography of Saints Brigid and Patrick and Its Effect on the Formation of Episcopal Dioceses in Medieval Ireland**

Diane P. Auslander, Lehman College, CUNY

***Jóns saga helga* and North Icelandic Education**

Eduardo Ramos, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**Byzantine Monasticism in Two Anatolian Provinces, ca. 500–700**

David A. Heayn, Graduate Center, CUNY

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**The Multi-lingual Fifteenth Century: Alain Chartier, Christine de Pizan, Charles d'Orléans, et autres . . . (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Alain Chartier Society; International Christine de Pizan Society, North American Branch  
Organizer: Daisy Delogu, Univ. of Chicago  
Presider: Daisy Delogu

**Charles d'Orléans's Peculiar English**

Mary-Jo Arn, Independent Scholar

**Learning French in Medieval England: French Teaching Manuals of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Centuries**

Anthony Nicolas Radoiu, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Authority and Anonymity of French Texts in England**

Hope W. Johnston, Baylor Univ.

**Translation, Reception, and Authority: The Case of Alain Chartier's *De vita curiali***

Anne-Hélène Miller, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

**The French and Latin Works of Alain Chartier: The Popular Voice of Authority**

Emma Cayley, Univ. of Exeter

**Chartier and Dante**

Joan E. McRae, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

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**In Memory of John H. Fisher, Scholar and Editor**

Sponsor: Chaucer MetaPage  
Organizer: Susan Yager, Iowa State Univ.  
Presider: Susan Yager

**Barks and Whimpers in *The Knight's Tale* and *The Legend of Good Women***

Amy W. Goodwin, Randolph-Macon College

**What Was Scribe C Doing with the N-Town Plays?**

Britt Mize, Texas A&M Univ.

**Tracking the Trends in the Chaucer Bibliography**

Stephanie Amsel, Southern Methodist Univ.

**Valuing Chaucer Studies in the Twenty-First Century University**

Mikee Delony, Abilene Christian Univ.

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**The Playful Reader**

Sponsor: Game Cultures Society  
Organizer: Serina Patterson, Univ. of British Columbia  
Presider: Serina Patterson

**Playful Reading as Pastime at the French Court: The Performance of Literary Games and Poetic Competitions in the Late Middle Ages**

Vanina M. Kopp, Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris

**Querelle over and in the Findern MS (CUL Ff.1.6): An Analysis of Women's Names and Female Voices**

Cynthia A. Rogers, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Like the Castle in Its Corner: Game as Genre in Medieval Literature**

Betsy McCormick, Mount San Antonio College



## French Romance

Presider: Brooke Heidenreich Findley, Pennsylvania State Univ.–Altoona

### **Sincere, Grief, Simulated Death: Monologues of Mourning in Twelfth-Century French Romance**

Kathryn E. Levine, Univ. of California–Berkeley

### **Tragic Love in Foreign Lands: *Waldef* as an Anthology of Loss**

Ivana Djordjevic, Concordia Univ.

### **Why Can't a Woman Be More Like a Man? Counterfeit Men in Three Medieval French Tales**

Linda Marie Rouillard, Univ. of Toledo

### **Old Wine in New Bottles: Re-cycling Arthurian Romance in Sixteenth-Century Lyon**

Caroline Jewers, Univ. of Kansas

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## **Motet-adata: A Workshop to Explore Controlled Vocabulary for Motet Studies in a Linked Open Data Environment**

Organizer: Tamsyn Rose-Steel, Johns Hopkins Univ.

Presider: Tamsyn Rose-Steel

This workshop, facilitated by Ece Turnator (Univ. of Texas–Austin), explores how Linked Open Data can benefit medieval motet studies. In it we intend to bring together motet specialists to discuss key terminology as a step towards creating an ontology for the motet.

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## **Merlin and the Round Table**

Sponsor: Société Internationale des Amis de Merlin

Organizer: Florence Marsal, Univ. of Connecticut

Presider: Kathleen Jarchow, Univ. of Connecticut

### **What Might the Son of the Devil have to Do with a Christian Round Table?**

Anne Berthelot, Univ. of Connecticut

### **Merlin the Demon's Son**

Rosanne Gasse, Brandon Univ.

### **The Sorcerer's Gender: An Analysis of Merlin in the *Morte Darthur***

Margaret L. Sheble, Purdue Univ.

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## ***Ingenium and Memoria***

Sponsor: Platinum Latin

Organizer: B. Gregory Hays, Univ. of Virginia; Danuta Shanzer, Univ. Wien

Presider: B. Gregory Hays

### **The Frog *Princeps*: Jordanes and a Late Antique Fairy Tale**

Nathan J. Ristuccia, Univ. of Chicago

### **Nebuchadnezzar, Alexander, and an Idiosyncratic Model of World History**

Benjamin Garstad, MacEwan Univ.

### **The Meaning of *Ingenium* and *Memoria* in the Scholastic Culture of the Twelfth Century**

Alexander Andrée, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

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## Thursday, May 12 Lunchtime Events

11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.	<b>LUNCH</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
11:45 a.m.	<b>Medieval Academy Graduate Student Committee</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 212
Noon	<b>Research Group on Manuscript Evidence</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1055
Noon	<b>De Re Militari: The Society for Medieval Military History</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1220
Noon	<b>International Association for Robin Hood Studies (IARHS)</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1235
Noon	<b>Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)</b> Executive Council Meeting	Bernhard 107
Noon	<b>Society for the Study of the Bible in the Middle Ages (SSBMA)</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 204
Noon	<b>Medica: The Society for the Study of Healing in the Middle Ages</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 211
Noon	<b>Chaucer MetaPage</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 215
Noon	<b>Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research</b> Lunch (by invitation)	Bernhard President's Dining Room
12:30 p.m.	<b>Lone Medievalist</b> Business Meeting	Valley III Stinson 303

**Thursday, May 12  
1:30 p.m.–3:00 p.m.  
Sessions 48–95**

**Theological Aesthetics in Old English Religious Verse**

Organizer: Ben Reinhard, Christendom College

Presider: Ben Reinhard

**Is Old English Wisdom Poetry Beautiful? A Crisis of Aesthetics in the Historicist Canon**

Karl Arthur Erik Persson, Signum Univ.

**Form's Freedom: Old English Liturgical Verse, Poetic Transformation, and the Kentish Hymn**

Jacob Rieff, Marquette Univ.

Respondent: Daniel Anlezark, Sydney Univ.

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**Philosophical Themes and Issues in Malory's *Morte Darthur***

Organizer: Felicia Nimue Ackerman, Brown Univ.

Presider: Molly Martin, Univ. of Indianapolis

**The Grail Quest in the Royal Shakespeare Company's *Morte d'Arthur***

Ann Elaine Bliss, Western Oregon Univ.

**"He that hath a prey hurte is loth to have a shame outwarde": Privacy and Shame in Malory's World**

Felicia Nimue Ackerman

**"Suget to Happs Variaunce": John Walton's Boethius as a Possible Source for Malory**

Leigh Smith, East Stroudsburg Univ.

**Appeal or Demand: Rhetorical Manipulation of/by Malory's Characters**

Meredith Reynolds, Francis Marion Univ.

**"And than he began to tremble ryght harde": Medieval Practices of Viewing the Eucharist and Malory's Galahad**

Sarah B. Rude, Baylor Univ.

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***The Faerie Queene***

Presider: Melissa J. Rack, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

**Battling Bibles and Spenser's Dragon: Visions of Revelation in the Legend of Holiness**

Thomas Fulton, Rutgers Univ.

**The Gardens of Adonis: The Aesthetics of the Male Form in Spenser's *Faerie Queene* (1590)**

Kirk Warner, Yale Univ.

**"Well seene in everie science that mote bee": Women with Knowledge in Book Four of *The Faerie Queene***

Katie D. Ryan, York Univ.

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Session 51  
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**Wild and Tamed Spaces in Middle English Literature**

Organizer: Kathryn R. Vulić, Western Washington Univ.

Presider: Michael L. McLaughlin, Western Washington Univ.

**Otherwor(l)dly “Other-speaking”: Allegorical Space-Place Dialectics**

Richard Bergen, Univ. of British Columbia

**(Un)Civilized Chivalry: Contentious Bodily Spaces in Malory’s *La Cote Male Tayle***

Katherine Gubbels, Adams State Univ.

**Inside the Faerie Castle’s Gate: Sir Orfeo’s Portrayal of Purgatory**

Lauren Peterson, Western Washington Univ.

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**Method and the Middle English Text (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Interdisciplinary Graduate Medieval Colloquium, Univ. of Virginia

Organizer: Zachary E. Stone, Univ. of Virginia

Presider: Zachary E. Stone

A roundtable discussion with Emily Steiner, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Kellie Robertson, Univ. of Maryland; Daniel Davies, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Michelle Ripplinger, Univ. of California–Berkeley; and Evan Cheney, Univ. of Virginia.

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**A Successor Is Born: Contested Births and Unexpected Heirs**

Sponsor: Royal Studies Network

Organizer: Valerie Schutte, Independent Scholar

Presider: Valerie Schutte

**An Unexpected Queen: Isabel of Castile**

Charles Beem, Univ. of North Carolina–Pembroke

**A Bastard and a Changeling? England’s Edward of Westminster**

Kristen Geaman, Univ. of Toledo

**The Queen’s Body Reimagined: Elizabeth I’s Performance of Privacy in Text and Image**

Lauren Petrino, Univ. of Miami

**The Rightful Rulers: The Development of Royal Power in the Fourteenth-Century Crown of Aragon**

Alana Lord, Univ. of Florida

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Ackley  
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**Lacunae: Noticing What Is Not There**

Sponsor: Canadian Society of Medievalists/La Société canadienne des médiévistes

Organizer: Stephanie Morley, St. Mary’s Univ.

Presider: Stephanie Morley

**Chauntecleer’s Glossless Vision: A Lacuna in the *Nun’s Priest’s Tale***

Luke William Mills, Wingate Univ.

**“Al ne is nat gospel”: Genre and Lacunae in *The Legend of Good Women***

Alyssa Coltrain, Rutgers Univ.

**“Manners Maketh Man,” but What about Woman? Conduct Literature for the Medieval English Gentlewoman**

Kristin Canzano Pinyan, Rutgers Univ.

### **Studies on the *Heliand***

Organizer: Perry Neil Harrison, Baylor Univ.; David Eugene Clark, Suffolk County Community College

Presider: Kenneth C. Hawley, Lubbock Christian Univ.

### **Herod and Historical Infanticide in the Old Saxon *Heliand***

Perry Neil Harrison

### **Comparing the Roles of Women in the *Heliand* and the *Diatessaron***

David Eugene Clark

### **Elusive Anteriority: The *Heliand* and Its Sources**

Valentine A. Pakis, Univ. of Toronto

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### **War, Diplomacy, and Material Culture in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Cardiff School of History, Archaeology and Religion, Cardiff Univ.

Organizer: Helen J. Nicholson, Cardiff Univ.

Presider: Heather E. Crowley, Cardiff Univ.

### **Black Stones, Relics, and Beasts: Diplomacy and Material Culture in England ca. 800–ca. 1200**

Jenny Benham, Cardiff Univ.

### **German Archbishops in Battle: The Military and Diplomatic Participation of the Archbishops of Cologne, Trier, and Mainz in the Crusade against the Staufens (1239–1268)**

Michelle T. Hufschmid, Univ. of Oxford

### **Mamluk Mangonels and the Siege of Montfort in 1271**

Michael S. Fulton, Cardiff Univ.

### **The Needle Is Mightier than the Sword: The Impact of Embroidery in Medieval War Culture**

Valentina S. Grub, Univ. of St. Andrews

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Fetzer  
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### **Remembering the Crusades: Image, Norms, and Representations**

Sponsor: Dept. d'histoire, Univ. de Montréal

Organizer: Philippe Genequand, Univ. de Montréal

Presider: Philippe Genequand

### **The Crusading Ideology in the Fourteenth Century: Concept and Theory**

Cornel Bonté, Univ. de Montréal

### **The Venetian Participation in the Fourth Crusade: Economic Conclusions of the Treaty of Venice in 1201**

Eric Hupin, Univ. de Montréal

### **The Image of the Templars and Hospitalers through Their Seals**

Rodrigue Buffet, Univ. de Montréal

### **Otherness in the Prussian Crusades: The Pagans in *Di Kronike von Pruzinlant***

Louis Provost-Brien, Univ. de Montréal

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**Tolkien and *Beowulf***

Sponsor: Tolkien at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Brad Eden, Valparaiso Univ.  
Presider: Andrew Higgins, Independent Scholar

**“A Tight Fitt”: Strategies of Condensation in *The Lay of Beowulf***

John R. Holmes, Franciscan Univ. of Steubenville

**Tolkien’s “Freawaru and Ingeld”: A Love Story?**

Christopher T. Vaccaro, Univ. of Vermont

**The Christian Singer in Tolkien’s *Beowulf***

Michael D. Miller, Aquinas College

**Tolkien’s *Beowulf*: A Translation and Commentary as a Teaching Text**

James L. Baugher, East Tennessee State Univ.

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**Enclosure, Transgression, and Scandal in Medieval Nunneries**

Sponsor: Société d’Études Interdisciplinaires sur les Femmes au Moyen Âge et à la Renaissance (SEIFMAR)

Organizer: Laura Cayrol-Bernardo, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris

Presider: Stella Ferrari, Univ. degli Studi di Milano

**Formative Spaces: Making Female Ascetics in Early Medieval Iberia**

Jamie Wood, Univ. of Lincoln

**Call the Mid-Wife? A Pregnant Woman Seeks Care at an Anglo-Saxon Nunnery**

Victoria Kent Worth, Univ. of Massachusetts–Amherst

**For Fear of Scandal: Bishops, Nuns, and Enclosure in the Fourteenth-Century Crown of Aragon**

Michelle Herder, Cornell College

**Reassessing Enclosure in Northwestern Iberian Nunneries (Eleventh–Fourteenth Century)**

Laura Cayrol-Bernardo

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Fetzer  
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**“Great Settings” in Medieval History and Literature: Performing and Reception**

Sponsor: Interdisziplinäres Zentrum für Mittelalter-Studien (IZMS), Univ. Salzburg

Organizer: Siegrid Schmidt, Univ. Salzburg

Presider: Ingrid Bennewitz, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg

**The Great Feast: Entertainment - Partying - Binge Drinking - Filtered through the Largest Medieval Text Corpus of MHDBDB**

Klaus M. Schmidt, Univ. Salzburg/Univ. of Bowling Green

**Great Emotion: The Role of Lunete in Hartmann von Aue’s *Iwein* and Felicitas Hoppe’s *Löwenritten***

Martin Fischer, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg

**The Walk to Canossa (“Gang nach Canossa”): Pope, King, and Bismarck in Dialog**

Michael Brauer, Univ. Salzburg

**Intersections of the Sacred and Secular in Medieval Romance**

Sponsor: Institute of Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Durham Univ.;  
Medieval and Renaissance Studies Program, Univ. of Arkansas–  
Fayetteville  
Organizer: Lindsey Panxhi, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville; Natalie Moore  
Goodison, Durham Univ.  
Presider: Lindsey Panxhi

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**Monster Relics: The Giant, the Archangel, and Mont-Saint-Michel in the  
Alliterative *Morte Arthure***

Christopher Pipkin, Catholic Univ. of America

**Illuminating Knightly Virtues and Finding Personal Salvation in the Douce  
*Tournament of Antichrist***

Karlyn Griffith, Univ. of North Texas

**Supernatural Transformations in Medieval Romance**

Natalie Moore Goodison

**Dante II: Philosophical Questions**

Sponsor: Dante Society of America  
Organizer: Alison Cornish, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor  
Presider: Albert Russel, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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**“Il mal seme d’Adamo”: Soul, Body, and Original Sin in Dante**

Dana E. Stewart, Binghamton Univ.

**Curiosity and the Excess of Prudence**

Gabriel Pihas, St. Mary’s College of California

**The Piccarda Donati Thought Experiment: Dante’s Self-Forming Absolute Will**

Humberto Ballesterio, Columbia Univ.

**Heresy and Faith as Matters of Praxis rather than Belief in the *Divine Comedy***

Jason Aleksander, St. Xavier Univ.

**Sacred Spaces and Political Places: Fostering Regional Identities through  
Historical and Literary Medieval Pilgrimage I**

Organizer: Ali Asgar H. Alibhai, Harvard Univ.  
Presider: Laura Clark, Baylor Univ.

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**Esoteric Pilgrimage: Ismaili Muslim Hermeneutics of Hajj**

Khalil Andani, Harvard Univ.

**Artistotle’s Floating Tomb: Understanding Christian Pilgrimage in Muslim  
Palermo**

Ali Asgar H. Alibhai

**The Dalâ’il al-Khayrât of Sîdî b. Sulaymân al-Jazûlî (d. 1465): Towards a  
Mental Pilgrimage**

Hiba Abid, École Pratique des Hautes Études

**Christian Influences upon the Sanctification of Safed in Jewish Kabbalist  
Tradition in the Sixteenth Century**

Yair Paz, Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies, Jerusalem

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### Old Norse-Icelandic Studies

Sponsor: Fiske Icelandic Collection, Cornell Univ. Library  
Organizer: Jeffrey Turco, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Jeffrey Turco

#### **“Ék ætla þar vándum manni at duga sem þú ert”: Proverbial Echoes and the Point of *Hænsa-Þóris saga***

Richard L. Harris, Univ. of Saskatchewan

#### **Staves, Wands, and Green Twigs: *Skírnir*’s Tools of Coercion**

Megan Gilge, Independent Scholar

#### **Change and Innovation in the *Sagan af Klarusi keisarasynti* (1884)**

Shaun F. D. Hughes, Purdue Univ.

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### Affect and Emotion in Medieval Iberia II

Sponsor: American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain (AARHMS)  
Organizer: Elena Woodacre, Univ. of Winchester  
Presider: Kyle C. Lincoln, Webster Univ.

#### **Anger and Queenship: The Wrath of Mary in Iberian Charters**

Miriam Shadis, Ohio Univ.

#### **Alfonso X of Castile and James I of Aragon: Thirteenth-Century Kings in Each Other’s Eyes**

Antonella Liuzzo Scorpo, Univ. of Lincoln

#### **Legislating Emotions**

Jesús D. Rodríguez-Velasco, Columbia Univ.

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### Picturing the Present: Structuring the Medieval Beholder’s Relation toward Time

Sponsor: International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA)  
Organizer: Armin Bergmeier, Univ. Leipzig; Andrew Griebeler, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
Presider: Andrew Griebeler

#### **The Present, the Future, and the Modern Preoccupation with the End of Time**

Armin Bergmeier

#### **The Fluent Boundaries of Built and Painted Space at the Papal Court of Avignon**

Tanja Hinterholz, Univ. Salzburg

#### **Time-Based Media and Medieval Figuration**

Beatrice Kitzinger, Princeton Univ.

#### **Oracular Images and the Political Present in Twelfth-Century Constantinople**

Benjamin Anderson, Cornell Univ.

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### Medieval Military History II: Food, Fortifications, Resolution

Sponsor: De Re Militari: The Society for Medieval Military History  
Organizer: Valerie Eads, School of Visual Arts  
Presider: Jay Roberts, Independent Scholar

#### **Food, Fodder, and Edward II’s Military Failures**

Ilana Krug, York College of Pennsylvania



**Provisioning Godfrey of Bouillon: From Cologne to Constantinople, 1096**

Charles Glasheen, Independent Scholar

**The Visconti-Florence War of 1350–1353 and the Treaty of Sarzana: A Reappraisal**

Sharon Dale, Pennsylvania State Univ.–Erie, The Behrend College

**Protecting the Realm: England's Defensive Structure 1300–1500**

Randall P. Moffett, Weber State Univ.

**Mappings II: Mapping Space and Time**

Organizer: Dan Terkla, Illinois Wesleyan Univ.; Felicitas Schmieder, FernUniv. in Hagen

Presider: Felicitas Schmieder

**Rivers of Paradise as Means to Structure the World: A Study of Late Medieval World Maps of North Mediterranean Origin**

Gerda Brunnlechner, Historisches Institut, FernUniv. in Hagen

**Wandering toward the Apocalypse: Mapping Shifts in Time**

Asa Simon Mittman, California State Univ.–Chico

**Asia – Europa – Africa: The Three Parts of the World and Their Depiction on Medieval Mappaemundi**

Christoph Mauntel, Eberhard Karls Univ. Tübingen

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**Apocalypticism in the Age of Cusanus: In Memory of Louis B. Pascoe, S.J.**

Sponsor: American Cusanus Society

Organizer: Wendy Love Anderson, Washington Univ. in St. Louis; Donald F. Duclow, Gwynedd-Mercy Univ.

Presider: Wendy Love Anderson

**The Church and the Last Days in Nicholas of Cusa's Brixen Sermons**

Richard J. Serina, Jr., Concordia Seminary

***The Conjecture on the Last Days: Cusanus and Apocalypticism***

Bernard McGinn, Divinity School, Univ. of Chicago

**Imagining the Heavenly Jerusalem with Nicholas of Cusa and Thomas à Kempis**

Inigo Bocken, Titus Brandsma Institute, Radboud Univ. Nijmegen

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**New Voices in Anglo-Saxon Studies I**

Sponsor: International Society of Anglo-Saxonists

Organizer: Mary Kate Hurley, Ohio Univ.

Presider: Mary Kate Hurley

**Anxiety, Innovation, and Invented Tradition: Burial Practice as an Indicator of Political Stress and Cultural Affinity in Mid- to Late Anglo-Saxon England**

Alexandra Aversa Sheldon, Univ. of Oxford

**Marvellous Spaces in the Vercelli Book: Topic Modelling and Old English Religious Verse**

Alexandra Bolintineanu, Univ. of Toronto

**Old English Elegies: Language and Genre**

Stephanie Opfer, Northern Illinois Univ.

Response: David F. Johnson, Florida State Univ.

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**Prosopography and the World of Late Medieval England**

Sponsor: *Medieval Prosopography*; Society of the White Hart  
Organizer: Valerie L. Garver, Northern Illinois Univ.  
Presider: Joel T. Rosenthal, Stony Brook Univ.

**Friends, Foes, and Pardons of Richard II**

John Lowell Leland, Salem International Univ.

**Render unto Caesar: Royal and Ecclesiastical Service in the Careers of the Canons of Saint Stephen's College, Westminster in the Later Middle Ages**

Elizabeth Biggs, Univ. of York

**Peasant Participation in National Politics: Suggestions Provided from Fifteenth-Century Huntingdonshire**

Anne R. DeWindt, Univ. of Detroit Mercy

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**Manuscripts and Marginalia: Traversing Textual Boundaries**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Workshop, Univ. of Chicago  
Organizer: Mark Lambert, Univ. of Chicago; Elizabeth Tavella, Univ. of Chicago  
Presider: Mark Lambert and Elizabeth Tavella

**Dangerous Doodles? Icelandic Scribes and Their Marginalia**

Christine Schott, Erskine College

**Creeping In: Marginal Additions to Late Medieval English Histories**

Neil Weijer, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**Editing from the London Thornton: Middle English Charlemagne Romances and Graphic Tail-Rhyme**

Elizabeth Melick, Kent State Univ.

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**Studies in Medieval Monasticism**

Presider: Robert E. Winn, Northwestern College

**The Magic Garden: Strabo, Virgil, and a Ninth-Century Primer about the Good Earth**

June-Ann Greeley, Sacred Heart Univ.

**Æthelwold's Monastic Reform and the Birth of the Parish Church**

Christopher Riedel, Boston College

**Laying the Foundation for a Comparison of Latin and Kievan Monasticism in the Eleventh and Twelfth Centuries**

Edmund McCaffray, Arizona State Univ.

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**Music and Liturgy: In Memory of Clyde Brockett I**

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.; Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross  
Presider: Daniel J. DiCenso

**The Palm Sunday Blessing of Palms and Procession at Saint Peter's Basilica in the Twelfth Century**

Joseph Dyer, Independent Scholar

**Not a *Sens Unique*: Bidirectional Processions in Medieval Sens (and Elsewhere)**

Donna La Rue, International Musicological Society

**Paths of the Processional Antiphon *Ingrederet benedicte domini***

James Borders, Univ. of Michigan—Ann Arbor

**Reassessing Kantorowicz's *The King's Two Bodies*: Representations of Secular Power in Word and Image**

Organizer: Shannon L. Wearing, Institute of Fine Arts, New York Univ.; Melanie Hanan, Stern College for Women, Yeshiva Univ.

Presider: Shannon L. Wearing and Melanie Hanan

***Usque ad celum erectus*: Ernst Kantorowicz's Interpretation of the Frontispiece of the Aachen Gospels and Its Consequences for the Discipline of Art History**

Johannes von Müller, Warburg Institute, Univ. of London

**The Queen's Two Faces: The Portraiture of Elizabeth I of England**

Emilia Olechnowicz, Instytut Sztuki, Polska Akademia Nauk

*Congress Travel Award Winner*

**The Shah's Two Bodies? Metaphor, Materiality, and Eros in Persianate Depictions of Kingship**

Michael Chagnon, Japan Society Gallery

**Reading Chaucer Today: What's Love Got to Do with It?**

Organizer: Thomas J. Farrell, Stetson Univ.

Presider: Thomas J. Farrell

**No Love Lost: Chaucer's Queer/Misogynist Narrator in *Legend of Good Women***

Elan Justice Pavlinich, Univ. of South Florida

**Inexpressible Agony and Ecstasy: Karol Wojtyła's *Love and Responsibility* in Books III and V of Chaucer's *Troilus and Criseyde***

Arnaud H. Zimmern, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Falling in Love with a Poem: *Troilus and Criseyde* and Reading as Discernment**

Megan Murton, Catholic Univ. of America

**Holy Celebrity: Saints and/as Social and Economic Capital**

Sponsor: Hagiography Society

Organizer: Alicia Spencer-Hall, Queen Mary, Univ. of London

Presider: Barbara Zimbalist, Univ. of Texas–El Paso

**Catherine of Siena and Her Critics**

Catherine Mooney, Boston College

**Myroblytes: The Power and Appeal of Holy Oil**

Sylvia E. Mullins, Georgetown Univ.

**Becoming a Saint in the Mystical Diary of Katherina Tucher (d. 1448)**

Jacob M. Baum, Texas Tech Univ.

**I'll Tell You What I Want, What I Really, Really Want: Margery Kempe as the Ultimate Saintly Wannabe**

Alicia Spencer-Hall

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**Koineization and Standardization in Medieval Ibero-Romance Languages**

Sponsor: Hispanic Seminary of Medieval Studies (HSMS)  
Organizer: Pablo Pastrana-Pérez, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Gabriel Rei-Doval, Univ. of Wisconsin–Milwaukee

**The Aragonese Impact on the Growth and Refinement of Castilian Language and Thought in Early Fifteenth-Century Spain: The Lexicon of Juan Fernández de Heredia, Enrique de Villena, and Juan Alfonso de Zamora**

Stephen Johnson, York School, and Emma Finch, York School

**Cuestiones sobre el proceso de estandarización del léxico del español peninsular y los arabismos**

Patricia Giménez Eguíbar, Western Oregon Univ.

**Cambio y nivelación en el castellano medieval: La documentación de Mombeltrán en el marco de las variedades lingüísticas de Castilla y León**

María Nieves Sánchez González de Herrero, Univ. de Salamanca, and Vicente J. Marcet Rodríguez, Univ. de Salamanca

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**The Medieval Balkans as Mirror: Byzantine Perceptions of the Balkans and the World Beyond**

Sponsor: Research Group on Manuscript Evidence; Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Florida  
Organizer: Mildred Budny, Research Group on Manuscript Evidence; Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida  
Presider: Mildred Budny

**“Wild Sprout Grafted into the Excellent Olive Tree of the New Israel”: Byzantine Views of the Bulgarians after Their Conversion**

Kirił Marinow, Univ. of Łódź

**“More Savages than Nature Itself”: The Image of the Nomads in the Byzantine Historiography of the Tenth–Twelfth Centuries and the Political Practice of the Constantinopolitan Court**

Aleksander Paroń, Institute of Archaeology and Ethnology, Wrocław

**The Image of Peter I in Bulgarian Historiography: Interpretations by Petăr Mutaľčiev**

Jan Mikołaj Wolski, Univ. of Łódź

**Byzantine Perceptions of the Bulgarian Economy as a Distorted Mirror**

Elisaveta Todorova, Univ. of Cincinnati

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**Disparate Gowers**

Sponsor: John Gower Society  
Organizer: R. F. Yeager, Univ. of West Florida  
Presider: Brian W. Gastle, Western Carolina Univ.

**Making America “Great” Again: Gower’s “Tale of Virgil’s Mirror” and the Disastrous Potential of President Trump**

Jeffery G. Stoyanoff, Spring Hill College

**“The Pleine Cas”: Feminized Intercession in Gower’s *Confessio amantis***

Emily Fogel, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**Gender, Rhetoric, and Deception in Gower’s *Mirour de l’omme***

María Bullón-Fernández, Seattle Univ.

**Rhetoric and Voice across the Fifteenth Century (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Taylor Cowdery, Harvard Univ.; Spencer Strub, Univ. of California–Berkeley

Presider: Nicholas Watson, Harvard Univ.

**The Voice of Skelton's Parrot**

Taylor Cowdery

**Compilation and the Rhetoric of Immediacy**

Katherine Zieman, Univ. of Oxford

**Catachresis and Historicity**

Julie Orlemanski, Univ. of Chicago

**Rape and the Rhetoric of Resistance**

Carissa M. Harris, Temple Univ.

**Eleanor Hull's Voices**

David A. Lawton, Washington Univ. in St. Louis

**Sinful Voices**

Spencer Strub

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**Interlingual Exchange, Interlinguistic Comprehensions, and Multilingualism in Occitan Spaces**

Sponsor: Société Guilhem IX

Organizer: Valerie M. Wilhite, Univ. of the Virgin Islands

Presider: Wendy Pfeffer, Univ. of Louisville

**Political Authority and Multilingualism in the Troubadours: A Reexamination of Guilhem IX of Aquitaine and Alfons II of Aragon**

Courtney J. Wells, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

**Análisis del Discurso en el ámbito Occitanocatalán medieval: Una primera aproximación**

Rosa Maria Medina Granda, Univ. de Oviedo

**Interlingual Troubadour Song in Medieval France**

Eliza Zingesser, Columbia Univ.

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**The Lunatic, the Scholar, and the Poet: Translating Old English Verse for the Twenty-First Century**

Sponsor: Old English Poetry Project

Organizer: Robert J. Hasenfratz, Univ. of Connecticut

Presider: Robert J. Hasenfratz

**Untranslating *Beowulf*: An Alternative to Both "Foreignizing" and "Domesticating" Approaches**

Peter Ramey, Northern State Univ.

**The Talking: Dystranslation in the Talk of the Old English Graduate Classroom**

Daniel Remein, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston

**Embracing Fragments and Fragmentation in Translations of Old English Poetry**

Miller Oberman, Univ. of Connecticut

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**Revisiting Daventry or *King's Quest* for Teaching Guests: A Pedagogical Video Game Workshop**

Sponsor: Medieval Electronic Multimedia Organization (MEMO)  
Organizer: Carol L. Robinson, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull  
Presider: Brent Addison Moberly, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

A workshop with Kevin A. Moberly, Old Dominion Univ.; Jessica Dambruch, Old Dominion Univ.; Peter Byrne, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull; and John McLaughlin, East Stroudsburg Univ.

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**Medieval Peasant World I: Culture and Religion**

Sponsor: Medieval Association for Rural Studies (MARS)  
Organizer: Philip Slavin, Univ. of Kent  
Presider: Steven Bednarski, Univ. of Waterloo

**Rural Orphans and Underaged Heirs in the Later Medieval English Village**

Miriam Müller, Univ. of Birmingham

**Peasants in Land Courts: Way of Argumentation and Behavioral Strategies of Peasants in Fifteenth-Century Muscovy**

Angelina Kalashnikova, Central European Univ.

**Villein Rights to Make Wills: Property and Death on the Borders of Canon, Customary, and Common Law**

Abigail Sargent, Princeton Univ.

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**Animal Languages**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)  
Organizer: Alison Langdon, Western Kentucky Univ.  
Presider: Alison Langdon

**Bark Like a Man: Performance, Identity, and Boundary in Old English Animal Voice Catalogs**

Robert Stanton, Boston College

**“Kek Kek”: Translating Birds in Chaucer’s *Parliament of Fowls***

Michael Warren, Royal Holloway, Univ. of London  
*Karrer Travel Award Winner*

***Ymagyned and Compyled: The Nightingale’s Apparitional Voice***

Carolynn Van Dyke, Lafayette College

**The Role of Interspecies Communication and Animal Theology in Saving the Medieval Christian**

Anastasija Ropa, Latvian Academy of Sport and Education  
*Edwards Memorial Travel Award Winner*

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**Time at Court (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Courtly Literature Society (ICLS), North American Branch  
Organizer: Judith M. Davis, Goshen College  
Presider: Janina P. Traxler, Manchester Univ.

**Praying by the Numbers: Canonical (and Other) Hours in Courtly Prayers**

Maureen B. M. Boulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Keeping Time at Court**

Alexandra Sterling-Hellenbrand, Appalachian State Univ.

**Courtly Time and Narrative Time in the *Roman du chatelain de Coucy***

Judith M. Davis

**The Medieval Tradition of Natural Law II**

Organizer: Harvey Brown, Western Univ.

Presider: Harvey Brown

**Doing It without Natural Law: Lockean Theory of Property in Twelfth-Century Islam**

Bettina Koch, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State Univ.

**Medieval Natural Law Theory and the Concurrent Jurisdictions of State and Church**

David Conter, Huron Univ. College

**Moses Maimonides and the Jewish Tradition of Natural Law**

Bernie Koenig, Fanshawe College

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**Early Medieval Europe I: Politics and Identities**

Sponsor: *Early Medieval Europe*

Organizer: Deborah M. Deliyannis, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington; Helmut Reimitz, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Helmut Reimitz

**Coping as a Roman Goth during a Roman-Gothic War: The Case of Jordanes**

Brian Swain, Kennesaw State Univ.

**Intermediate Powers in Post-Roman Spain**

Santiago Castellanos, Univ. de León

**A New Source for Early Medieval Italy? The Context of a Long-Forgotten Document in Cod. Vat. Lat. 2917**

Eduardo Fabbro, Univ. of Toronto

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**Topics in Byzantine Sigillography**

Sponsor: Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection

Organizer: Jonathan Shea, Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection

Presider: Eric McGeer, Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection

**The Illusion of Continuity: The “Archonate,” the Theme of Dalmatia, and Local Government at the Periphery of the Byzantine Empire**

Phillip Mazero, St. Louis Univ.

**Seals and Religion in the Early Byzantine Period**

Joseph Glynias, Princeton Univ.

**Absence of Evidence Atoponymy on Byzantine Seals**

Jonathan Shea and Lain Wilson, Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection

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**Art and Material Culture in Medieval Ireland: Papers in Memory of John Bradley I**

Sponsor: American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS)  
Organizer: James Lyttleton, Independent Scholar; James G. Schryver, Univ. of Minnesota–Morris  
Presider: Thomas Herron, East Carolina Univ.

**Ireland's Medieval Rural Nucleated Settlement: The Case of Newtown Jerpoint, County Kilkenny**

Terry Barry, Trinity College, Univ. of Dublin

**John Derricke's *Image of Ireland*: Settlement and Architecture in Late Sixteenth-Century Ireland**

James Lyttleton

**Uncovering the Art of Burial: Medieval Wall Paintings in Clare Island Abbey, County Mayo, Ireland**

Karena Morton, National Museum of Ireland

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Sangren  
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**Teaching Arabic Sources in Translation (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: TEAMS (The Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)  
Organizer: Sally Hany Abed, Univ. of Utah; Doaa Omran, Univ. of New Mexico; Thomas A. Goodman, Univ. of Miami  
Presider: Sahar Ishtiaque Ullah, Columbia Univ.

**Teaching the Quran in the Ancient World Literature Class**

Doaa Omran

**Teaching Averroes's "Decisive Treatise" in a Freshman Sequence**

Coeli Fitzpatrick, Grand Valley State Univ.

**Teaching *Tales of the Marvelous* in the Writing Classroom: A Rhetorical Approach**

Maha Baddar, Pima Community College

**Teaching the *Arabian Nights*: A Living Tradition**

Sally Hany Abed

**Muslim Travelers and Muslim Migrants: Ibn Battuta's World Today**

Margaret Aziza Pappano, Queen's Univ. Kingston

**Teaching Arabic/Islamic Philosophy: Using Arabic-English and Latin-English Translations to Put Another Nail in the Coffin of "Orientalism"**

Richard C. Taylor, Marquette Univ.

Session 93  
Sangren  
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**Fools on the Premodern Page and Stage**

Organizer: Angela Heetderks, Oberlin College  
Presider: Joel Benabu, Univ. of Toronto

**"Jesters do oft prove prophets": Holy Foolishness and the Prophesying Jester of Chrétien de Troyes's *Perceval***

Jennifer Lopatin, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Robert of Cisyle, King Turned Fool**

Angela Heetderks

**Madness and the Fool in *King Lear* and *Titus Andronicus***

Lauren Liebe, Texas A&M Univ.



**The Scientific Works of Robert Grosseteste**

Sponsor: Ordered Universe Research Project  
 Organizer: Giles E. M. Gasper, Durham Univ.  
 Presider: Nicholas Everett, Univ. of Toronto

**“But first: are you experienced?”: Robert Grosseteste’s Experiential Epistemology**

Sigbjørn Olsen Sønnesyn, Durham Univ.

**Robert Grosseteste: Heir to the Severn Valley Mathematical School**

Kathy Bader, Durham Univ.

**Science and Arts: Robert Grosseteste on the Liberal Arts**

Giles E. M. Gasper

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**Using Open Manuscript Data (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies  
 Organizer: Dorothy Carr Porter, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
 Presider: Jessie Dummer, Univ. of Pennsylvania

This workshop takes a hands-on and thorough approach to methods for accessing and using open data for medieval manuscripts. Using the University of Pennsylvania’s OPenn collections ([openn.library.upenn.edu](http://openn.library.upenn.edu)) and The Digital Walters ([thedigitalwalters.org](http://thedigitalwalters.org)) as resources, the workshop walks attendees through the process of bulk downloading digital images and metadata, introduces a few methods for processing the data, and provides thirty minutes for general discussion and experimentation among attendees. The workshop is aimed at scholars who have used digital images in their work in the past and who are interested in expanding their skills to a slightly more advanced level. No programming experience is required or expected.

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3:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m.  
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**Middle English Literature**

Presider: Betsy Bowden, Rutgers Univ.–Camden

**Spaces of Solitude and the Hidden Fellow: The Mysticism of Community in  
*The Cloud of Unknowing***

Mahlika Hopwood, Fordham Univ.

**Emotional Repentance in *Piers Plowman***

Mary Clemente Davlin, OP, Dominican Univ.

**Touching Death: Hoccleve's Affective *Ars Moriendi***

Aparna Chaudhuri, Harvard Univ.

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Valley III  
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Lounge

**Concepts of Camelot**

Sponsor: Arthurian Literature

Organizer: Elizabeth Archibald, Durham Univ.; David F. Johnson, Florida State Univ.

Presider: Elizabeth Archibald

**Empty Seats at the Round Table: Malory's Incomplete Idea of Camelot**

Molly Martin, Univ. of Indianapolis

**Bringing Camelot Down to Earth: The Feudal Ideal in Malory's Arthurian World**

Stephen Atkinson, Park Univ.

**White's Camelot, Malory's Camelot**

Louis J. Boyle, Carlow Univ.

**Cadbury and *The Camelot Caper***

Norris J. Lacy, Pennsylvania State Univ.

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Valley II  
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Lounge

**Shakespeare at 400: Present and Future**

Sponsor: Shakespeare at Kalamazoo

Organizer: Lea Luecking Frost, Lindenwood Univ.

Presider: Carole Levin, Univ. of Nebraska–Lincoln

**Tis [Y]Our Words That Now Must Deck Our Kings: Constructing Kingship in Henry V**

Christina Gutierrez-Dennehy, Northern Arizona Univ.

**Greening Shakespeare: An Ecocritical Introduction to Shakespearian Studies**

Erik Fletcher Ringle, Univ. of Nevada–Reno

**Sixteenth-Century Ideas, Twenty-First Century Students: Role-Immersion Games in the Shakespeare Classroom**

Nora L. Corrigan, Mississippi Univ. for Women

**Scout Over Kindergarten: Shakespeare Gets the Next T-Shirt**

Linda Shenk, Iowa State Univ.

**Lawman's *Brut* and Translation: Text and Context**

Sponsor: International Lawman's *Brut* Society  
 Organizer: Kenneth J. Tiller, Univ. of Virginia's College at Wise  
 Presider: Charlotte A. T. Wulf, Stevenson Univ.

**Sex, Space, and Sanctuary: Translating Sexual Freedom in Lawman's *Brut* and the South English Legendary's Life of Mary of Egypt**

Scott Kleinman, California State Univ.–Northridge

**Prophecy and the Hermeneutics of Translation in Lawman's *Brut***

Kenneth J. Tiller

**Arabic, Welsh, Latin, French, English: Translating the Astronomy of Pendragon**

Elizabeth J. Bryan, Brown Univ.

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**The Modern Grail: Insider Tips from Search Committees to Land That Academic Job (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval Academy Graduate Student Committee  
 Organizer: Justin Lynn Barker, Purdue Univ.; Tamara Bentley Caudill, Tulane Univ.  
 Presider: Justin Lynn Barker

A roundtable discussion with Arthur Bahr, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Maribel Dietz, Louisiana State Univ.; Thomas R. Leek, Univ. of Wisconsin–Stevens Point; Alex Mueller, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston; Ellen K. Rentz, Claremont McKenna College; Michelle M. Sauer, Univ. of North Dakota; and Monica L. Wright, Univ. of Louisiana–Lafayette.

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**The Annual *Journal of Medieval Military History* Lecture**

Sponsor: De Re Militari: The Society for Medieval Military History  
 Organizer: Valerie Eads, School of Visual Arts  
 Presider: L. J. Andrew Villalon, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**Against Anachronism: Reframing the Conversation on Medieval Military Strategy**

John D. Hosler, Morgan State Univ.

Respondent: John France, Swansea Univ.

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**Wisdom Literature**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of the Bible in the Middle Ages (SSBMA)  
 Organizer: Aaron Canty, St. Xavier Univ.  
 Presider: James M. Matenaer, Franciscan Univ. of Steubenville

**Vanity in Bonaventure's Commentary on Ecclesiastes**

Aaron Canty

***Scientia secundum Pietatem*: Albert the Great on the Book of Job and the Nature of Theology**

Franklin T. Harkins, Boston College

**Robert Holcot, O.P., and Fourteenth-Century Skepticism: Evidence from His Commentaries on Wisdom and Ben Sira**

Kimberly Georgedes, Franciscan Univ. of Steubenville

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**Gaylord Workshop on Reading Chaucer Aloud**

Sponsor: Chaucer MetaPage  
Organizer: Susan Yager, Iowa State Univ.  
Presider: Susan Yager

A workshop with Howell D. Chickering, Amherst College, and Regula Meyer Evitt, Colorado College.

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**Matthew A. Tapie, *Aquinas on Israel and the Church* (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: Academy of Jewish-Christian Studies  
Organizer: Lawrence E. Frizzell, Seton Hall Univ.  
Presider: Lawrence E. Frizzell

**Reflection: Aquinas on Israel and the Church**

Matthew Levering, Univ. of St. Mary of the Lake

**Medieval Franciscan Perspectives on Israel and the Church**

Steven J. McMichael, OFM Conv., Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota

Response: Matthew A. Tapie, St. Leo Univ.

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**Crusading Conversations: New Work in Crusade Studies from Both Sides of the Atlantic**

Sponsor: Cardiff School of History, Archaeology and Religion, Cardiff Univ.;  
Center for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

Organizer: Ann E. Zimo, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities; Heather E. Crowley,  
Cardiff Univ.

Presider: Tiffany D. Vann Sprecher, Kingsborough Community College, CUNY

**Muslim Views of the Crusaders and Franks: Representations from the Twelfth-Century Levant**

Betty Binysh, Cardiff Univ.

**Princely *Probitas* in Western France following the Experience of Crusade: The Case of Count Fulk V of Anjou, 1120–1129**

Basit Hammad Qureshi, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**The Alexander Legend in French and Arabic in the Age of the Crusades: A Preliminary Inquiry**

Jesse W. Izzo, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**Literary Evidence for the Teutonic Orders' Perception of a Christian Landscape in the Baltic Sea Region, 1290–1394**

Gregory Leighton, Cardiff Univ.

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**Embodiment: Senses, Body, and Space in Medieval Art and Architecture**

Organizer: Amanda R. Luyster, College of the Holy Cross

Presider: Amanda R. Luyster

**Sensescapes and Sensation in the Twelfth-Century Church**

Jennifer P. Kingsley, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**Physical Proximity, Emotions, and Gender in the Becket Miracle Windows at Trinity Chapel Ambulatory, Canterbury Cathedral**

Eun Seon (Ludia) Bae, Independent Scholar

**An Eye for an Eye? Violence against Sacred Images and Corporal Punishment in the Late Medieval City**

Rebekah Perry, Oregon State Univ.

**The Sound of Silence: Private Devotion in Fifteenth-Century Italy beyond the Senses**

Serenella Sessini, Univ. of Sheffield, and Laura Stefanescu, Univ. of Sheffield

**In Honor of Verlyn Flieger (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Tolkien at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Brad Eden, Valparaiso Univ.  
Presider: John D. Rateliff, Independent Scholar

**Tolkien's "On Fairy-stories" as a theory of literature**

Curtis Gruenler, Hope College

**The Well and the Book: Flieger and Tolkien on "the Past in the Past"**

Deborah Salo, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville/Arkansas Archeological Survey

**So Many Wonders: *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight* according to Tolkien and Flieger**

Amy Amendt-Raduege, Whatcom Community College

**"Linguistic Ghosts": Anglo-Saxon Poetry as Tolkien's Tether between Past and Present**

Kristine Larsen, Central Connecticut State Univ.

**An Elf by Any Other Name: Naming, Language, and Loss in Tolkien's *Legendarium***

Benjamin S. W. Barootes, McGill Univ.

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**Women Religious in the Atlantic World: New Historiographical and Methodological Perspectives**

Sponsor: Société d'Études Interdisciplinaires sur les Femmes au Moyen Âge et à la Renaissance (SEIFMAR)  
Organizer: Laura Cayrol-Bernardo, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris  
Presider: Laura Cayrol-Bernardo

**Reconsidering the Liturgical Topography of a Medieval City in the Light of Female Monasteries: The Case of Milan and Some New Perspectives on Northern Italy**

Stella Ferrari, Univ. degli Studi di Milano

**Chaucer's Custance in a Tradition of Medieval Drifters**

Marian Homans-Turnbull, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**The Black Imagined Community of Sister Úrsula de Jesús**

Valérie Benoist, Grinnell College

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**Constructing the Other, Defining the Self: Re-evaluating Religious Identity in the Later Middle Ages**

Sponsor: International Medieval Congress, Univ. of Leeds  
Organizer: Marta Cobb, Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Leeds  
Presider: Marta Cobb

**Deadly Sins and the Historical Other in Late Medieval France**

Nancy McLoughlin, Univ. of California–Irvine

**Medieval Microbiomes, Selves, and Others**

Sarah Alison Miller, Duquesne Univ.

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**Animals and Power: Human-Animal Interactions and the Representation of Social Order in Medieval Research and in Teaching the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Zentrum für Mittelalterstudien (ZEMAS), Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg  
Organizer: Klaus van Eickels, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg  
Presider: Ingrid Bennewitz, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg

**Elephants in Medieval Europe**

Klaus van Eickels

**The Use of Equestrian Terminology to Indicate Social Status: Analysing Terms for Horse-Riding in the Corpus of Middle English Prose and Verse**

Caroline Limpert, Otto-Friedrich-Univ. Bamberg

**Animal Sounds in Michel Beheim's Songs**

James Ogier, Roanoke College

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**Dante III: Female Figures**

Sponsor: Dante Society of America  
Organizer: Alison Cornish, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor  
Presider: Dana E. Stewart, Binghamton Univ.

**Skirting the Issue: Reconsidering Cacciaguida's History of Florentine Fashion**

Kristina M. Olson, George Mason Univ.

**Materna Locutio**

Eugene Petracca, Columbia Univ.

**Dante's Matelda: Queen, Mother, and Saint**

Jo Ann Hoepfner Moran Cruz, Georgetown Univ.

**The Hidden Passion of Dante's Mary**

John Bugbee, Univ. of Virginia

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**Sacred Spaces and Political Places: Fostering Regional Identities through Historical and Literary Medieval Pilgrimage II**

Organizer: Laura Clark, Baylor Univ.  
Presider: Ali Asgar H. Alibhai, Harvard Univ.

**The Wilton Chronicle's Life of Saint Edith of Wilton**

Laura Clark

**Defining a Nation: Regional Negotiations of National Identity in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Ruth M. E. Oldman, Indiana Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Constricting the "Other Jerusalem": Creation Tradition in Georgian Historical Narrative and Urban Space**

Eka Avaliani, International Black Sea Univ.

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**Medieval Prosopography**

Sponsor: *Medieval Prosopography*  
Organizer: Valerie L. Garver, Northern Illinois Univ.  
Presider: Amy Livingstone, Wittenberg Univ.

**Politics and Piety in Anicia Juliana's Patronage**

Franchesca Fee, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**"A Good Man and King, and His Children Were Good and Holy": The Holy Dynasty of King Anna of East Anglia**

Tamara S. Rand, Baldwin Wallace Univ.

**Be Very, Very Quiet: Hunting (Medieval) Parisian Scholars in the Vatican Secret Archives**

Eric Goddard, Trinity Christian College

**Affect and Emotion in Medieval Iberia III**

Sponsor: American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain (AARHMS)

Organizer: Elena Woodacre, Univ. of Winchester

Presider: Antonella Liuzzo Scorpo, Univ. of Lincoln

**Masculinity, Affect, and Emotional Scripts in the Madrid and Paris Manuscripts of the *Libro del Cauallero Zifar***

Kim Bergqvist, Stockholms Univ.

**The Dragon of Apocalypse: Sanctifying Portuguese History by Strong Emotions**

Kurt Villads Jensen, Centre for Medieval Studies, Stockholms Univ.

**Ideas of Joy in Thirteenth-Century Wisdom Literature and the Fourteenth-Century *Libro de Buen Amor***

Juan Escourido, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Discussant: Affect and Emotion in Medieval Iberia**

Sarah McNamer, Georgetown Univ.

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**New Perspectives on Caxton**

Sponsor: Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of New Mexico

Organizer: Anita Obermeier, Univ. of New Mexico

Presider: Henry Ansgar Kelly, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

**The Bible as Hagiography in William Caxton's *The Golden Legend***

Judy Ann Ford, Texas A&M Univ.–Commerce

**The “Noble” Appeal in Caxton's Paratexts**

Vaughn Stewart, Univ. of North Carolina–Chapel Hill

**Caxton's Prefaces in Light of Chaucer's Auctorial Self-Criticism**

Anita Obermeier

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**Performing Piety and Poetry: Dance, Gender, and Poetic Form**

Organizer: Lynne J. Miller, Baylor Univ.

Presider: Max Harris, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**The Dance of Salome: Dancing Women, Sin, and Salvation in Medieval Texts**

Lynne J. Miller

**Discipline and Redemption: Dances of Penitence**

Kathryn Dickason, Stanford Univ.

**Reenacting Form: Poetry and Dance in the Late Middle Ages**

Seeta Chaganti, Univ. of California–Davis

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**Medieval Chronicles**

Sponsor: Medieval Chronicle Society  
Organizer: Lisa M. Ruch, Bay Path Univ.  
Presider: Lisa M. Ruch

**Oblivion and Invention: Charlemagne and His Wars with the Avars in the Medieval Hungarian Chronicles**

Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida

**Hope, Vision, and Legitimacy: The Rhetorical Use of Childhood in *Gallus Anonymus***

Matthew B. Koval, Univ. of Florida

**Political Geographies and Landscapes of Violence in Jean Froissart's "Voyage en Béarn"**

Elizabeth Voss, Syracuse Univ.

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**Franciscan Theology: The Implications of a Good Creation**

Organizer: Richard A. Nicholas, Univ. of St. Francis, Joliet  
Presider: Andrew Salzmann, Benedictine College

**The Similitude of All Things: Halensian Incarnational Anthropology and Soteriology**

Ty Monroe, Boston College

**The Role of the Good Creation and New Covenant in the Eucharistic Thought of Saint Francis**

Richard A. Nicholas

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**Picturing a Magical Cosmos**

Sponsor: Societas Magica  
Organizer: Marla Segol, Univ. at Buffalo  
Presider: Jason Roberts, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**Lettrist Cosmologies in Fifteenth-Century Iran: Ibn Turka's Ṭahawī Circle**

Matthew Melvin-Koushki, Univ. of South Carolina–Columbia

**Alphabetic Diagrams of the Sefirot: The Letter, the Body, and the God**

Marla Segol

**Cosmography as a Talismanic and Theurgic Tool in Medieval Islamic Occultism**

Liana Saif, St. Cross College, Univ. of Oxford

**Arbitrary Order and the Puzzles of the Otherworld in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Arielle C. McKee, Purdue Univ.

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**Crossing the Hanseatic Threshold and Beyond: Making Connections in Medieval Art, ca. 1200–1500**

Sponsor: International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA) Student Committee  
Organizer: Lehti Mairike Keelmann, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor; Laura Tillery, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Lehti Mairike Keelmann

**Artists Abroad: The Dawn of Rhennish Gothic Ivory Carving**

Dustin Aaron, Courtauld Institute of Art/Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

**The Value of Reliquaries in the Hanseatic League**

Andrew R. Sears, Univ. of California–Berkeley



**From Distant Places to Mercantile Spaces: Late Medieval Altarpieces in Hanseatic Lübeck**

Laura Tillery

**Mappings III: Medieval Maps, Their Makers and Uses**

Organizer: Dan Terkla, Illinois Wesleyan Univ.; Felicitas Schmieder, FernUniv. In Hagen

Presider: Emily Albu, Univ. of California–Davis

**Nautical, but not Navigational: Alternative Functions of Portolan Cartography, 1300–1600**

Kevin E. Sheehan, Univ. of Durham

**How to Map World History: The Creation and Copying of Polychronicon Maps**

Cornelia Dreer, Univ. Kassel

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**Nicholas of Cusa's Theology of the Word**

Sponsor: American Cusanus Society

Organizer: Peter J. Casarella, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Donald F. Duclow, Gwynedd-Mercy Univ.

**Nature and Art in the Cusan Conception of the Word**

José González Ríos, Univ. de Buenos Aires

***Logos-Verbum*: The Word in Nicholas of Cusa and Gadamer**

Michael Edward Moore, Univ. of Iowa

**A Dialogical Theology of the Word: Nicholas of Cusa's *Idiota de sapientia***

Peter J. Casarella

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**New Voices in Anglo-Saxon Studies II**

Sponsor: International Society of Anglo-Saxonists

Organizer: Mary Kate Hurley, Ohio Univ.

Presider: Jordan L. Zweck, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Facie ad Faciem: Anglo-Saxon Interpretations of Biblical Theophany**

Kevin Jackson, Univ. of New Mexico

*Univ. of New Mexico Graduate Student Prize Winner*

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**Humor, Hope, and Play in *Genesis B* and the Exeter Riddles**

David Carlton, Western Univ.

**The Idea of the Vernacular in Anglo-Saxon England**

Erica Weaver, Harvard Univ.

Response: Roy M. Liuzza, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

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**Text and Images in Medieval Manuscripts: Towards a Typology**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, St. Louis Univ.  
Organizer: Evelyn Meyer, St. Louis Univ.  
Presider: Christian Schneider, Washington Univ. in St. Louis

**Maria Ormani (degli Albizzi) and the Problem of Self-Portraiture in Italian Manuscripts**

Kathleen G. Arthur, James Madison Univ.

**Text, Image, and Devotion: Forms and Functions of Audience Engagement in Medieval Manuscripts**

Eva von Contzen, Albert-Ludwigs-Univ. Freiburg

**“Reliquam dicit pictura”: Text and Image in a Twelfth-Century English Illustrated Anatomical Manual**

Taylor McCall, Univ. of Cambridge

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**Reflections on the Medieval Mediterranean NEH Summer Institutes (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: CARA (Committee on Centers and Regional Associations, Medieval Academy of America)  
Organizer: Michael A. Ryan, Univ. of New Mexico  
Presider: Abigail Krasner Balbale, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston

**Looking Back, Looking Ahead: The Medieval Mediterranean NEH Summer Institute**

Sharon A. Kinoshita, Univ. of California–Santa Cruz

**From Intellectual to Historical Networks: The Value of the NEH Mediterranean Seminar**

Hussein Anwar Fancy, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**New Perspectives on the Art of Cyprus**

Justine Andrews, Univ. of New Mexico

**Collaboration and Cross-pollination in the Medieval Mediterranean NEH Summer Institute**

Sarah Davis-Secord, Univ. of New Mexico

Respondent: Abigail Krasner Balbale

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**Ending**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia  
Organizer: Emma Lipton, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia  
Presider: Emma Lipton

**“This book thus to han endid had Y thoght”: The Ends of Thomas Hoccleve’s Poetry**

Travis Neel, Ohio State Univ.

**The End of Bodies and/as Texts**

Wendy A. Matlock, Kansas State Univ.

**Lamenting the End of Time: Higden and the Loss of Temporal Possibility**

Christopher Pugh, Univ. of Toronto

**The Past as a Thing: History, Memory, and Objects in the Anglo-Saxon and Anglo-Norman World**

Sponsor: Haskins Society  
 Organizer: Carolyn Twomey, Boston College; Aleksandra McClain, Univ. of York  
 Presider: Carol Neuman de Vegvar, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.

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**Raising an Issue? The Use of the Derrynaflan Chalice**

Michael Ryan, Univ. College Dublin

**Objects of Memory: Stone Commemoration in Anglo-Scandinavian and Anglo-Norman England**

Aleksandra McClain

**“Mighty and Barbaric”: Baptismal Fonts and Social Memory in Early Norman Yorkshire**

Carolyn Twomey

**Music and Liturgy: In Memory of Clyde Brockett II**

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo  
 Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.; Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross  
 Presider: Joseph Dyer, Independent Scholar

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**Wilton Abbey in Procession**

Alison Altstatt, Univ. of Northern Iowa

**The Economy of the Sarum Processions**

William Peter Mahrt, Stanford Univ.

**Liturgical Creativity and the Carolingian Renaissance**

Nils Holger Petersen, Københavns Univ.

**Problems of Identity and Definition in the Various Disciplines of Celtic Studies**

Sponsor: Celtic Studies Association of North America  
 Organizer: Frederick Suppe, Ball State Univ.  
 Presider: Frederick Suppe

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**Ideals of Scottish Identity and Monarchy in Andrew of Wyntoun’s *Orygynale Cronikil***

Marian Toledo Candelaria, Univ. of Guelph, and Shayna Devlin, Univ. of Guelph

**Mindful of Her Sex: Bishop Brigit and Her Biographers**

Shane Lordan, Univ. College Dublin

**Johanna, Domina Walliae: Power of a Title**

Alexis Robertson, Ball State Univ.

**Holy Landscapes and Sacred Space**

Sponsor: Hagiography Society  
 Organizer: Monica Antoinette Ehrlich, Emory and Henry College  
 Presider: Monica Antoinette Ehrlich

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**Environmental History and Hagiography**

Ellen F. Arnold, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.

**Catherine of Siena’s Holy Landscape as Heterotopia**

Catherine Annette Grisé, McMaster Univ.

**Women’s Monasteries, Community Identity, and the Creation of Sacred Topographies ca. 500–1050**

Jane Tibbetts Schulenburg, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Session 131  
Schneider  
1360

**Birthdays, Anniversaries, and Saints' Days**

Sponsor: Mid-America Medieval Association (MAMA)  
Organizer: Lois L. Huneycutt, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia  
Presider: Lois L. Huneycutt

**The Battle of Stamford Bridge: Enfeebling the Memories of Harold II Godwinson's Army with the Lone Norwegian Narrative**

Joe Genens, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**The Representation of the Eve of Saint John the Baptist/Saint John's Day within *Ywain*, *Gawain*, and *Sir Launfal***

Drew Danielle Maxwell, Univ. of Edinburgh

**Saint Catherine of Alexandria in Portuguese Goa**

Heather Alexis Smith, St. Louis Art Museum

Session 132  
Schneider  
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**Medieval Iberian Languages: Linguistic Perspectives**

Sponsor: Hispanic Seminary of Medieval Studies (HSMS)  
Organizer: Pablo Pastrana-Pérez, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Sonia Kania, Univ. of Texas–Arlington

**Romania Submersa, Al-Andalus, and Basque Romance: Reviewing the Origins of Spanish**

Francisco Marcos-Marin, Univ. of Texas–San Antonio

**¿Excepciones al cambio [min] > [mbr] en castellano?**

César Gutiérrez, Purdue Univ.

**A New Approach to Investigating Gallicisms in the Mester de Clerecía: The Discourse Coalition**

Stacy Bryant, Truman State Univ.

Session 133  
Schneider  
2345

**Alfredian Texts and Contexts**

Organizer: Nicole Guenther Discenza, Univ. of South Florida  
Presider: Nicole Guenther Discenza

**Alfredian Evil**

Jonathan Davis-Secord, Univ. of New Mexico

**The Life of the Mind: Emotion and Will in Alfredian Literature**

Andrew M. Pfrenger, Kent State Univ.

**The Alfredian Book as "Text" and "Context"**

Elizabeth Wright, Univ. of York

Session 134  
Schneider  
2355

**Low German Medieval Literature: Legends, Drama, Epics, Translations, and Others**

Organizer: Sibylle Jefferis, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Sibylle Jefferis

**Von den *Studia Humanitatis* zur Glaubensunterweisung: Zur niederdeutschen Bearbeitung von Sebastian Brants *Narrenschiff***

Sabine Seelbach, Alpen Adria Univ. Klagenfurt

**Die Darstellung Karls des Großen in der Sächsischen Weltchronik: Text und Ikonographie der Karlsgeschichte in der Handschrift Gotha, Forschungs- und Landesbibliothek, Ms. Memb. I 90**

Claudia Händl, Univ. degli Studi di Genova

***Dat Kinderbock*: A Low German Non-Pediatric Medical Book in Copenhagen, Kongelige Bibliotek, GKS 1663, 4to**

Chiara Benati, Univ. degli Studi di Genova

**Kölner Drucke in westfälischer Sprache**  
Ulrich Seelbach, Univ. Bielefeld

**Gower's Material World**

Sponsor: John Gower Society  
Organizer: R. F. Yeager, Univ. of West Florida  
Presider: R. F. Yeager

**Brutus's City on the Thames: Gower's London as Material Context and Imaginative Construct**

Sarah O'Brien, Fordham Univ.

**Materializing Gower's Worldly Instructions: Pierpont Morgan MS M.126 and the Science of Literary Education**

Amanda Gerber, Eastern New Mexico Univ.

**Gower, Satire, and the Materials of Avarice**

Roger A. Ladd, Univ. of North Carolina–Pembroke

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Bernhard  
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**Beauty and the Beast: The Influence of the Medieval Bestiary in Text and Image**

Organizer: Elizabeth Morrison, J. Paul Getty Museum  
Presider: Elizabeth Morrison

**Factual and Fictional Lions in Old Norse Romance**

Florian Schreck, Univ. i Bergen

**Inhabited Architecture: Animals and Animality at Wells Cathedral**

Matthew M. Reeve, Queen's Univ. Kingston

**Looking Back at No-One: Altered Bestiary Imagery on the Hereford Map**

Catherine Megan Crossley, British Library

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Bernhard  
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**The Medieval Occitan Romance Flamenca (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Société Guilhem IX  
Organizer: Valerie M. Wilhite, Univ. of the Virgin Islands  
Presider: Valerie M. Wilhite

A roundtable discussion with Darrell Estes, Ohio State Univ.; Hartley R. Miller, Princeton Univ.; and Juliet O'Brien, Univ. of British Columbia.

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Bernhard  
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**Digitally Teaching the Middle Ages: Case Studies (A Poster Session)**

Sponsor: Medieval Electronic Multimedia Organization (MEMO)  
Organizer: Carol L. Robinson, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull  
Presider: Pamela Clements, Siena College

**Teaching with *King's Quest* Part I**

Kevin A. Moberly, Old Dominion Univ.

**Teaching with *King's Quest* Part II**

Jessica Dambruch, Old Dominion Univ.

**Game Theories and Teaching Medieval Literature**

John McLaughlin, East Stroudsburg Univ.

**Teaching with *Lord of the Rings Online***

Carol L. Robinson

**Role-Playing Games and the Multimedia Wife of Bath Project**

Daniel-Raymond Nadon, Kent State Univ.

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Bernhard  
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Session 139  
Bernhard  
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**Medieval Peasant World II: Economy and Society**

Sponsor: Medieval Association for Rural Studies (MARS)

Organizer: Philip Slavin, Univ. of Kent

Presider: Miriam Müller, Univ. of Birmingham

**Individuals, Communities, and Agricultural Change in Northern England:  
Culture and Practice in the Late Middle Ages**

Peter L. Larson, Univ. of Central Florida

**Changing Environment: Peasants, Life, and Land at Late Medieval  
Herstmonceux, Sussex**

Steven Bednarski, Univ. of Waterloo

**Rural Self-Administration and Venetian Governance on the Dalmatian Island  
of Korčula in the Fifteenth Century**

Fabian Kümmeler, Univ. Wien

Session 140  
Bernhard  
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**Problems of Narration in Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century Literature I:  
“Incompetent” Narrators?**

Organizer: Matthias Meyer, Univ. Wien

Presider: Matthias Meyer

**Fictional Characters as Better Narrators: Eneas - Kalogrenant - Gawein**

Johannes Keller, Univ. Wien

**Humility Topoi and the Narrator’s Persona in Middle High German Romances**

Lena Zudrell, Univ. Wien

**“The Beste Rym I Kan”: Authorship, Performance, and the Sociable Text in  
Chaucer’s *Sir Thopas***

James Wesley Garey, Baylor Univ.

Session 141  
Bernhard  
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**Minor Figures in Courtly Literature**

Sponsor: International Courtly Literature Society (ICLS), North American Branch

Organizer: Susann Therese Samples, Mount St. Mary’s Univ.

Presider: Susann Therese Samples

**Marginal Mothers in Chrétien de Troyes’s *Perceval ou le conte du graal***

Julie Human, Univ. of Kentucky

**Marginalizing the Body, Embodying the Marginal: Igraine’s Constructive  
Silence and Eremitic Imitation in *Le Morte Darthur***

Phoebe C. Linton, Univ. of Edinburgh

**An Alternate Path to Chivalry: Minstrelsy in *Le Roman de Silence***

Amy N. Vines, Univ. of North Carolina–Greenboro

**Guiraut Riquier’s Treatment of His Fellow Performers, High and Low, in His  
“Declaratio” (1275)**

Joseph T. Snow, Michigan State Univ.

Session 142  
Bernhard  
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**Manuscript Context for Early Anglo-Saxon, Caroline, and Germanic Verse**

Organizer: Bruce Gilchrist, St. Lawrence College, Québec

Presider: Bruce Gilchrist

***Graphotactics 2.0*: Re-thinking Word-Spacing as an Indicator of Metrical Form  
in Old English Verse Manuscripts**

Rachel A. Burns, Univ. College London

***Visible Song Twenty-Five Years On***

Larry J. Swain, Bemidji State Univ.

**The Decontextualized Context of the *Lacnunga* Verses in MS Harley 585**

Richard Scott Nokes, Troy Univ.

**Early Medieval Europe II: Church and State in the Carolingian Kingdoms**

Sponsor: *Early Medieval Europe*

Organizer: Deborah M. Deliyannis, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington; Helmut Reimitz, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Thomas F. X. Noble, Univ. of Notre Dame

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Bernhard  
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**Anchors of Carolingian Perception: The Lemmata in the *Codex epistolaris Carolinus* Manuscript as Windows to a Shared Frankish-Papal Past**

Dorine van Espelo, Radboud Univ. Nijmegen

**Carolingian Royal Politics in the Canonization of Dagobert II**

D. A. Grubbs, Catholic Univ. of America

**An Analysis of Church Dedications in the Carolingian Period**

James B. Williams, Univ. of Indianapolis

**Into and out of Latin**

Sponsor: Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection; Platinum Latin

Organizer: B. Gregory Hays, Univ. of Virginia; Danuta Shanzer, Univ. Wien

Presider: B. Gregory Hays

Session 144  
Bernhard  
Brown &  
Gold Room

**Observations on the Language and Identity of Calcidius**

John Magee, Univ. of Toronto

**The Latin Josephus and the Other Classical Latin Historians: Legacies Compared**

Richard Matthew Pollard, Univ. of British Columbia

**Insular Latin Manuscripts of *The Book of John Mandeville***

Danielle Bradley, Rutgers Univ.

**Art and Material Culture in Medieval Ireland: Papers in Memory of John Bradley II**

Sponsor: American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS)

Organizer: James Lyttleton, Independent Scholar; James G. Schryver, Univ. of Minnesota–Morris

Presider: Brian Ó Broin, William Paterson Univ.

Session 145  
Sangren  
1710

**Early Medieval/Viking Houses: Experimental Archaeology, Archaeology, and Historical Sources**

Aidan O'Sullivan, Univ. College Dublin

**Is There Anything Sacred about a Monastery? Reflections on Settlement Cemeteries and Ecclesiastical Settlements**

John Soderberg, Ohio State Univ.

Respondent: D. Blair Gibson, El Camino College

**Writing to Know: Medieval Literature and the Production of Knowledge**

Organizer: Megan Cook, Colby College

Presider: Tekla Bude, Newnham College, Univ. of Cambridge

Session 146  
Sangren  
1730

**Dreaming the Known: Dream Encyclopedias in the Late Middle Ages**

Boyda Johnstone, Fordham Univ.

**"To my hande cam a lytyl booke": William Caxton's Study, Trading Books, and the Mercantile Construction of Knowledge**

Colin Davey, Durham Univ.

**Producing Knowledge in the Chester Cycle**

Helen Cushman, Harvard Univ.

Session 147  
Sangren  
1740

**Where Else? (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: BABEL Working Group  
Organizer: Suzanne Conklin Akbari, Univ. of Toronto  
Presider: Asa Simon Mittman, California State Univ.–Chico

A roundtable discussion with Monica H. Green, Arizona State Univ.; Roland Betancourt, Univ. of California–Irvine; Shamma Boyarin, Univ. of Victoria; Alan S. Montroso, George Washington Univ.; and Christine E. Kozikowski, College of The Bahamas.

Session 148  
Sangren  
1750

**Teaching the Low Countries in Translation: Medieval Multilingualism and the Modern Classroom (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Barbara Zimbalist, Univ. of Texas–El Paso  
Presider: Barbara Zimbalist

**A Regular Syllabus Feature: Teaching the Medieval Low Countries in Religious Studies**

Rabia Gregory, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Developing a Middle Dutch Canon in Translation: The Drama Angle**

Mandy Lowell, Cornell Univ.

**Translating Lollardy: Teaching Kempe in a Low Countries Context at the Introductory College Level**

Stacie N. Vos, Yale Divinity School/Housatonic Community College/Sacred Heart Univ.

**Teaching Hadewijch in Early Brit Lit Survey Courses**

Steven Rozenski, Univ. of Rochester

Respondent: John Van Engen, Univ. of Notre Dame

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Library  
Classroom  
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**Using the Collation Modeler (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies  
Organizer: Dorothy Carr Porter, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Dorothy Carr Porter

This workshop walks attendees through the process of creating a physical collation model, and processing that model in various ways. The Collation Modeler is an online form through which scholars can build a virtual model of a manuscript's collation, indicating numbers of gatherings and the constitution of those gatherings. Once the model is generated, it can be processed in a variety of ways, including to generate collation formulae, or to create a virtual representation of the manuscript. The workshop is of interest to any scholar whose work is in any way connected to the physical construction of a manuscript.

—End of 3:30 p.m. Sessions—



## Thursday, May 12 Early Evening Events

5:00 p.m.	<b>WINE HOUR</b> Hosted by the Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research	Valley III Harrison 301 Eldridge 307
5:00 p.m.	<b>TEAMS (The Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)</b> Editorial Board Meeting	Valley III Stinson 303
5:00 p.m.	<b>International Lawman's <i>Brut</i> Society</b> Business Meeting	Valley II Garneau Lounge
5:15 p.m.	<b>American Cusanus Society</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1245
5:15 p.m.	<b>Musicology at Kalamazoo</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1335
5:15 p.m.	<b>International Arthurian Society, North American Branch (IAS/NAB)</b> Executive Advisory Committee Meeting	Bernhard 215
5:30 p.m.	<b>Medieval Association for Rural Studies (MARS)</b> Business Meeting	Valley II LeFevre Lounge
5:30 p.m.	<b>Goliardic Society, Western Michigan Univ.</b> Reception with open bar	Fetzer 1035
5:30 p.m.	<b>Medieval Academy Graduate Student Committee</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 1055
5:30 p.m.	<b>Société Guilhem IX</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 204
5:30 p.m.	<b>Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)</b> Business Meeting and Reception with open bar	Bernhard 208
6:00 p.m.	<b>TEAMS (The Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Harrison 302
6:00 p.m.	<b>Scottish Medieval Makars Society</b> Reception with cash bar	Bernhard 107
7:00 p.m.	<b>Shakespeare at Kalamazoo</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Bernhard 210

**Thursday, May 12  
7:30 p.m.–9:00 p.m.  
Sessions 150–170**

Session 150  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**Reading Aloud Old French and Middle French (A Workshop)**

Organizer: Shira Schwam-Baird, Univ. of North Florida  
Presider: Shira Schwam-Baird

A workshop with Tamara Bentley Caudill, Tulane Univ.; Alice M. Colby-Hall, Cornell Univ.; and Deborah McGrady, Univ. of Virginia.

Session 151  
Valley I  
Shilling  
Lounge

**Classical Philosophy in the Lands of Islam and Its Influence (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Aquinas and ‘the Arabs’ International Working Group  
Organizer: Richard C. Taylor, Marquette Univ./DeWulf Mansion Centre, KU Leuven  
Presider: Richard C. Taylor

**The Comparison of al-Kindi’s and al-Farabi’s Metaphysics: Similarities and Differences**

Cevher Sulul, Harran Univ.

**Are We Certain We Are Virtuous? Al-Farabi on First Principles and Demonstration within Ethics**

Nicholas Oschman, Marquette Univ.

**God as the Necessary Being in Avicenna and Aquinas**

Jacob Andrews, Loyola Univ. Chicago

Session 152  
Fetzer  
1005

***Beatus: The Spanish Apocalypse* (A Film Screening and Discussion)**

Organizer: David Raizman, Drexel Univ.  
Presider: David Raizman

A screening of the documentary film *Beatus: The Spanish Apocalypse* followed by a discussion with Murray Grigor, BBP Films, and Hamid Shams, MUSE Films and Television.

Session 153  
Fetzer  
1010

**Theorizing Iberian Borders: Reimagining Natural, Political, and Social Frontiers**

Sponsor: Center for Inter-American and Border Studies, Univ. of Texas–El Paso  
Organizer: Matthew V. Desing, Univ. of Texas–El Paso  
Presider: Matthew V. Desing

**“El pueblo . . . con so vezino”: Feeling Right at Home in Medieval Iberia**

Robin M. Bower, Pennsylvania State Univ.–Beaver

**The Paradoxical Borders of Exclusion and Understanding between Muslims and Christians in the Alfonsine Works**

Marcelo E. Fuentes, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**“A Checker Pattern Woven of Intellect”: Misconceptions of the Maqāmā Genre in Iberian Criticism**

Nasser Meerkhan, Univ. of Virginia

**Stone Boundaries: The Symbolism of Gems in *El libro de buen amor***

Jorge Santander Serrano, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Struggles and Political Games in the Ninth- to Fourteenth-Century Monastic World of Brittany**

Sponsor: Laboratoire du Centre de recherches historiques de l'Ouest, Univ. de Bretagne-Sud

Organizer: Joëlle Quaghebeur, Univ. de Bretagne Sud

Presider: Claude L. Evans, Univ. of Toronto–Mississauga

**Landévennec, Redon, le Mont Saint-Michel, monastères de Bretagne et enjeux politiques majeurs aux IXe–XIe siècle**

Joëlle Quaghebeur

**L'apport des miracula Sancti Mauri d'Éudes de Glanfeuil à l'histoire des relations entre Bretons et Francs au IXe siècle**

Guy Jarousseau, Univ. Catholique de l'Ouest

**At the Crossroads of Diplomatic Practices: Writing Acta at Sainte-Croix de Quimperlé in the Eleventh and Twelfth Centuries**

Cyprien Henry, Archives nationales

**Marmoutier in Brittany: The Question of Churches Custody in the Beginning of the Fourteenth Century**

Vincent Launay, Univ. de Bretagne Sud

Session 154  
Fetzer  
1040

**Medieval America: Traditions, Folklore, Identity**

Organizer: Alice Hutton Sharp, McGill Univ.

Presider: Alice Hutton Sharp

**Medieval Louisiana: Understanding Medieval French Literature through Cajun Carnavalesque Strategies**

Monica L. Wright, Univ. of Louisiana–Lafayette

**The Truth Is Up There: UFOs and National Identity from Medieval Europe to Antebellum America**

Kaitlin Heller, Univ. of Toronto

**Parliamentary Gothic: Collecting and Creating the Medieval in Canada's Parliament Buildings**

Laurel Ryan, Univ. of Louisiana–Lafayette

**"The Improbable Medieval World" of Newfoundland: Desiring Medieval Filiation**

Michael Collins, Univ. of Toronto

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Fetzer  
1060

**Considering (An)Other: Core Elements and Future Directions in the Interdisciplinary Study of Otherness in the Medieval Period (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Medieval Congress, Univ. of Leeds

Organizer: Marta Cobb, Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Leeds

Presider: Axel E. W. Müller, Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Leeds

A roundtable discussion with Bert Beynen, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Temple Univ.; Jeffrey Jerome Cohen, George Washington Univ.; Oren Falk, Cornell Univ.; Catherine E. Karkov, Univ. of Leeds; Nancy McLoughlin, Univ. of California–Irvine; Sarah Alison Miller, Duquesne Univ.; and Rebecca Searby, Univ. of York.

Session 156  
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**Busy Tenants? Land Transfer and Commercialization: Late Medieval England and Austria in a Comparative Perspective**

Organizer: Johannes Kaska, Univ. Wien

Presider: Richard C. Hoffmann, York Univ.

**City Dwellers as Landlords: Land Transactions in and around Bozen (South-Tyrol) in the Mid-Thirteenth Century**

Thomas Ertl, Univ. Wien

**Cash, Claims, and Chicken: Land Transactions in the Estates of the Lambach and Sankt Lambrecht Monasteries (Austria), ca. 1400–1550**

Johannes Kaska and Birgit Heinzle, Univ. Wien

**Social Ambition or Conservatism? The Motivations for Leasing Demesne Land in Late Medieval England**

Alex Brown, Institute of Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Durham Univ.

Discussant: Richard C. Hoffmann

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Schneider  
1120

**Re-thinking the Wearable in the Middle Ages**

Organizer: Elizabeth Dospel Williams, Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection; Ittai Weinryb, Bard Graduate Center

Presider: Elizabeth Dospel Williams and Ittai Weinryb

**Bodies on Garments: “Social Skin,” Architecture, and Identity on Coptic Textiles in Japan**

Andrea Olsen Lam, Independent Scholar

**The “Staurotheke of Gaeta”: A Divine Shield against Evil**

Pietro Pirrone, Univ. degli Studi di Salerno

**Christian Flare: Adorning the Body and Rethinking Jet Amulets**

Stephanie Chapman, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Sumptuary Laws and Material Elegance: Import Textiles and Sienese Painting**

Jasmin W. Cyril, Benedict College

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Schneider  
1140

**Medieval Performance as Appropriation**

Sponsor: ROMARD

Organizer: Susannah Crowder, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

Presider: Susannah Crowder

**Female Masochism and Shadow Feminism in a Medieval French Farce**

Noah D. Guynn, Univ. of California–Davis

**“This saint is my saint”: Episcopal Appropriation of Predecessors’ Image through Ritual Performance in Eleventh-Century Lotharingia**

Pieter Byttebier, Univ. Gent/Columbia Univ.

**The Sacrifice of Abraham in Greece: Immanence, Interpellation, Appropriation**

Stratos E. Constantinidis, Ohio State Univ.

Respondent: Kathleen Ashley, Univ. of Southern Maine

Session 160  
Schneider  
1280

**The Exeter Book’s Digital Decade**

Sponsor: Anglo-Saxon Manuscripts in Microfiche Facsimile

Organizer: Matthew T. Hussey, Simon Fraser Univ.

Presider: Matthew T. Hussey

**Folio Damage, Digital Images, and the Dos and Don’ts of Digital Reconstruction in the Exeter Book**

Mary Rambaran-Olm, Univ. of Glasgow

**Some Overlooked Paratextual Marks by George Hickes in the Exeter Book**

Brian T. O'Camb, Indiana Univ. Northwest

**Clicking, Typing, Pinching, Swiping: Acts of Reading in the Exeter Book's Digital Decade**

Johanna M. E. Green, Univ. of Glasgow

**The Exeter Book in Its Most Immediate Editorial Context: Bernard Muir's Digital Edition**

Eugene Lyman, Independent Scholar

**Writing Song in the European Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Centre for Late Antique and Medieval Studies, King's College London

Organizer: David Murray, King's College London/Univ. de Paris-X

Presider: Emma Dillon, King's College London

Session 161  
Schneider  
1335

**A Comparison of Song Notation in Insular and Continental Sources between the Twelfth and Fourteenth Century**

Samantha Blickhan, Royal Holloway, Univ. of London

**Dividing Petrarch: Divisio and the Art of Memory in Jacopo da Bologna's**

**Setting of "Non al suo amante" (RVF #52)**

Lauren McGuire Jennings, Univ. of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

**Chanson sans Frontières: Contrafacta of a Crusade Song**

David Murray

**Reshaping the Song: Notational Practice in Liturgical and Vernacular Books in Thirteenth-Century Artois**

Brianne Dolce, Yale Univ.

**Gothic Architecture: New Approaches and Methods**

Organizer: Claire LaBrecque, Univ. of Winnipeg

Presider: Claire LaBrecque

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Schneider  
1360

**Cistercians and the Development of Early Gothic Architecture in Norway**

Candice Bogdanski, York Univ.

**The Revival of Geometrical Research on Gothic Architecture**

Robert Bork, Univ. of Iowa

**The Creation and Re-creation of Gothic Architecture**

Chris Henige, Univ. of Wisconsin-Whitewater

**Juxtaposition as a Visual Strategy in the Late Middle Ages: The Parvis of the City of Rouen**

Linda Elaine Neagley, Rice Univ.

**The Interlingual Poetics of Chaucer's *Book of the Duchess*: English, French, or Franglais?**

Organizer: Jamie C. Fumo, Florida State Univ.

Presider: Jamie C. Fumo

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Bernhard  
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**"Counterfeit" Antiquity: Chaucer's *Book of the Duchess* and Its French Contexts**

Elizaveta Strakhov, Marquette Univ.

**"Je ne sui pas Orpheüs": Repetition and the Trap of Lyric in Chaucer's *Book of the Duchess* and Froissart's *Paradys d'amour***

Benjamin S. W. Barootes, McGill Univ.

Respondent: Jamie C. Fumo

Session 164  
Bernhard  
158

**More Middle Ages on Screen? Reconsidering *The Reel Middle Ages* (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Virtual Society for the Study of Popular Culture and the Middle Ages  
Organizer: Michael A. Torregrossa, Virtual Society for the Study of Popular Culture and the Middle Ages  
Presider: Susan L. Aronstein, Univ. of Wyoming

**Ridley Scott's *Kingdom of Heaven* (2005): Medieval History as Caricature**

June-Ann Greeley, Sacred Heart Univ.

**Postmodern Medieval: BBC's *Robin Hood* Series (2006–09)**

Mikee Delony, Abilene Christian Univ.

**What's Love Got to Do with It?: Kevin Reynold's *Tristan & Isolde* (2006)**

Kate McGrath, Central Connecticut State Univ.

**The Legend Continues: Exploring the Development of Arthur in Guy Ritchie's *The Knights of the Round Table: King Arthur* (2016)**

Kayla Sanderson, Abilene Christian Univ.

Session 165  
Bernhard  
204

**Teaching Medieval Languages Today: Strategies and Innovations (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Mary Franklin-Brown, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities  
Presider: Mary Franklin-Brown

**Connect, Affect, Translate: Teaching and Learning Old English in the Twenty-First Century**

Andrea Schutz, St. Thomas Univ.

**Program, Purpose, and Perception: Learning Classical Chinese in the Undergraduate Curriculum**

Sherry J. Mou, DePauw Univ.

**Teaching Older Germanic Languages in Texas**

Marc Pierce, Univ. of Texas–Austin, and Sandra Ballif Straubhaar, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**Teaching Old English in Dual-Level Courses**

Johanna Kramer, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Graduate Instruction outside the Medieval Studies Archipelago**

Tiffany Beechy, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

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Bernhard  
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**Attending to Manuscript Realities**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Studies Program, Purdue Univ.  
Organizer: Christy McCarter, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Christy McCarter

**Yes, the Writer Constructs the Audience—but the Audience Constructs the Writer, Too**

D. Thomas Hanks, Jr., Baylor Univ.

**Form and Expectation: *King Horn* in Its Manuscript Context**

Andrew W. Klein, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Silent Emendations: Modern Foliation and the Obscured Sophistication of Late Medieval Strategies of Mise-en-Page**

Sarah Noonan, St. Mary's College

Respondent: Kathryn Kerby-Fulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Shakespeare at Kalamazoo Lecture**

Sponsor: Shakespeare at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Lea Luecking Frost, Lindenwood Univ.  
Presider: Lea Luecking Frost

**Shakespeare at 400**

David Bevington, Univ. of Chicago

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Bernhard  
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**Comparative Perspectives in Hagiology**

Organizer: Massimo A. Rondolino, Carroll Univ.  
Presider: Edmund McCaffray, Arizona State Univ.

**Methodological Issues in Comparative Hagiology**

Massimo A. Rondolino

**Inscribing Islamic Lives: Tazkiras and Deviant Hagiographies in South Asia**

Dean Accardi, Connecticut College

**Collective Hagiography and the Creation of Hindu Devotional Worlds**

Jon Keune, Michigan State Univ.

**Hagiographic Representations in Pre-Modern East Asia**

SeoKyung Han, Binghamton Univ.

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**Church, Mission, Enculturation, and Conversion in Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages**

Organizer: Darius Oliha Makuja, Le Moyne College  
Presider: James H. Dahlinger, SJ, Le Moyne College

**Memory, Mythos, and Habitus: Towards a Socio-Memorial Theory of Enculturation**

Mary Agnes Edsall, Independent Scholar

**“One Faith, Diversity of Custom”: Gregory I Promotes Catholicity in Spain and Numidia (Africa)**

Darius Oliha Makuja

**The Deposition from the Cross: The Relief at *Externsteine*: The Unique and Striking Features of the Depiction in the Light of the *Hêliand***

Ron Murphy, SJ, Georgetown Univ.

***Indigni et Peccatoris Verbum*: Christian Identity and Conversion in the *Epistula Severi***

Mark Pearsall, Univ. of Connecticut

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Bernhard  
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**Original Medievalistic Poetry Reading and Open Mic (A Performance)**

Organizer: Jane Chance, Rice Univ.  
Presider: Jane Chance and Paul Hardwick, Leeds Trinity Univ.

Sign up in advance by contacting Jane Chance (jchance@rice.edu), or just show up, first come, first served. Three-four poems (5-7 minutes), but if there is time, more.

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—End of 7:30 p.m. Sessions—

## Thursday, May 12 Late Evening Events

9:00 p.m.	<b>Univ. of Toronto Press and the Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Harrison 302
9:00 p.m.	<b>Institute of Medieval and Early Modern Studies Durham Univ. and the Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Eldridge 306
9:00 p.m.	<b>International Courtly Literature Society (ICLS), North American Branch</b> Business Meeting with open bar	Fetzer 1045
9:00 p.m.	<b>Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Leeds</b> Reception with open bar	Fetzer 2016
9:00 p.m.	<b>John Gower Society</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 2030
9:00 p.m.	<b>Middlebury College – CMRS Humanities Program</b> Reception with open bar	Bernhard Faculty Lounge

## Friday, May 13 Morning Events

7:00–8:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
7:30–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Valley II and III
8:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Bernhard
8:30 a.m.	<b>Plenary Lecture</b> Sponsored by the Medieval Academy of America  Western Michigan University Welcome Presentation of the twentieth Otto Gründler Book Prize <b>How We Read J. R. R. Tolkien Reading Grendel's Mother</b> Jane Chance (Rice Univ.)	Bernhard East Ballroom
9:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Fetzer



**Friday, May 13**  
**10:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m.**  
**Sessions 171–225**

***Le Morte Darthur***

Presider: Louis J. Boyle, Carlow Univ.

**Closure and Caxton's Malory**

Charles Wuest, Averett Univ.

**Regressive Posthumanism and the Limits of the Techno-Chivalric Subject in *Le Morte Darthur***

Robert Byers, Fordham Univ.

**The Malorian Kay as Fredalian Figure**

Geoffrey B. Elliott, Oklahoma State Univ.

Session 171  
Valley III  
Stinson  
303

**Best Practices, Worst Mistakes: Insider Advice on Editing Collected Essays (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Brill Press

Organizer: Christopher M. Bellitto, Kean Univ.

Presider: Simon Forde, Medieval Institute Publications

**The Publisher's Perspective**

Jerome E. Singerman, Univ. of Pennsylvania Press

**The Series Editor's Perspective**

Christopher M. Bellitto

**The Volume Editor's Perspective**

Nicole Guenther Discenza, Univ. of South Florida

Session 172  
Valley III  
Stinson  
Lounge

**A Rediscovered Life: Thomas of Celano's *The Life of Our Blessed Father Francis***

Sponsor: Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure Univ.

Organizer: Timothy J. Johnson, Flagler College

Presider: J. A. Wayne Hellmann, OFM Conv., St. Louis Univ.

***The Life of Our Blessed Father Francis: A Story of Discovery***

Jacques Dalarun, IRHT–Paris

**New Light on the 1230s: History, Hagiography, and Thomas of Celano's *The Life of Our Blessed Father Francis***

Sean L. Field, Univ. of Vermont

**In the Workshop of a Theologian: *The Life of Our Blessed Father Francis***

Timothy J. Johnson

Session 173  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**Wulfstan of York, Legislator and Advisor to Kings**

Sponsor: Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research

Organizer: Jana K. Schulman, Western Michigan Univ.

Presider: Andrew Rabin, Univ. of Louisville

**Redefining the Doctrine of Replacement in Wulfstan's *Sermo Lupi***

Jill Fitzgerald, United States Naval Academy

**Wulfstan's Vision for the Governance of England during Cnut's Reign**

Nicholas Schwartz, Univ. of New Mexico

Respondent: Christopher A. Jones, Ohio State Univ.

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Valley II  
Garneau  
Lounge

Friday 10:00 a.m.

Session 175  
Valley I  
Hadley  
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### **Touching Hoccleve**

Sponsor: International Hoccleve Society  
Organizer: Travis Neel, Ohio State Univ.; Danielle Bradley, Rutgers Univ.  
Presider: Thomas A. Prendergast, College of Wooster

#### **Unstable Matter and Poetic Authority in the Series**

Justin Lynn Barker, Purdue Univ.  
*Winner of the Thomas Ohlgren Award for Best Graduate Student Essay  
in Medieval and Renaissance Studies*

#### **Hoccleve's "Lerne to Dye" and Narrating Despair**

Melissa Pankake, Princeton Univ.

#### **Hoccleve's Existential Crisis**

Paul Megna, Univ. of California–Santa Barbara

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Valley I  
Hadley  
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### **Re-documenting Joan of Arc**

Sponsor: International Joan of Arc Society/Société Internationale de l'étude de  
Jeanne d'Arc  
Organizer: Gail Orgelfinger, Univ. of Maryland–Baltimore County; Jane Marie  
Pinzino, Earlham College  
Presider: Gail Orgelfinger

#### **An Unexamined Greek Report of the Life of Joan of Arc**

Matthew Briel, Univ. of Scranton

#### **A Contemporary Parisian View of Joan of Arc**

Craig Taylor, Univ. of York

#### **The Peasant Piety of Jeanne d'Arc: The Domrémy Inquest and the Letters**

Jeremy duQuesnay Adams, Southern Methodist Univ.

Session 177  
Valley I  
Ackley  
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### **In Memory of Larry Syndergaard: The Ballad, Medieval and Modern I (Anglophone)**

Sponsor: Kommission für Volksdichtung  
Organizer: Sandra Ballif Straubhaar, Univ. of Texas–Austin  
Presider: Oren Falk, Cornell Univ.

#### **Tam Lin Files Suit to Recover His Patrimony: Resituating the Traditional Ballad**

Sally Schutz, Texas A&M Univ.

#### **The Songs They Sang: Gender Differences in the Repertoires of Twentieth-Century Scottish Singers**

Lynn Wollstadt, South Suburban College

#### **Lucy Broadwood and the Ballad**

E. David Gregory, Athabasca Univ.

Session 178  
Valley I  
Ackley  
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### **Thomas Aquinas I**

Sponsor: Thomas Aquinas Society  
Organizer: John F. Boyle, Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota  
Presider: Paul Gondreau, Providence College

#### **Aquinas's Comic Cosmos: Goodness, Happiness, and Luck**

Maria Devlin, Harvard Univ.

#### **How Theology Judges the Principles of Other Sciences**

Gregory F. LaNave, Dominican House of Studies

**“And We Will Make Our Home with Him”: Saint Thomas Aquinas on the Invisible Missions and the Action of the Trinity in the Economy**

Katie Froula, Ave Maria Univ.

**In Memory of Thomas Head (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Episcopus: Society for the Study of Bishops and Secular Clergy in the Middle Ages; Hagiography Society; Medieval Club of New York  
Organizer: John S. Ott, Portland State Univ.  
Presider: Alison Frazier, Univ. of Texas–Austin

A roundtable discussion with Jeffrey A. Bowman, Kenyon College; Anna Trumbore Jones, Lake Forest College; Thomas F. X. Noble, Univ. of Notre Dame; and Frederick S. Paxton, Connecticut College.

Session 179  
Valley I  
Shilling  
Lounge

**The Holy Grail (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Arthurian Society, North American Branch (IAS/NAB)  
Organizer: David F. Johnson, Florida State Univ.  
Presider: David F. Johnson

**Mad Max in the Castle of the Grail Maidens: George Miller’s *Mad Max: The Fury Road***

Kevin J. Harty, La Salle Univ.

**Sipping from Your Cup ‘til It Runneth Over: Hip-Hop and the Holy Grail**

Richard Sévère, Centenary College

**The Grail in England**

Dorsey Armstrong, Purdue Univ.

**“Little Table, Set Yourself” and Other Miraculous Powers of Wolfram von Eschenbach’s Grail**

Evelyn Meyer, St. Louis Univ.

**Reclaiming the Grail from Arthur: The Strange Case of the Middle Dutch *Seghelijn van Jherusalem***

Geert H. M. Claassens, KU Leuven

**The Grail in Medieval Wales**

Joshua Byron Smith, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville

**Grailling and Failing**

Norris J. Lacy, Pennsylvania State Univ.

Session 180  
Fetzer  
1005

**Models and Copies, Masters and Pupils: New Work on Spanish Illuminated Manuscripts in Memory of John Williams**

Sponsor: International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA)  
Organizer: David Raizman, Drexel Univ.  
Presider: Therese Martin, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas

**Copies, Originals, and the Impoverishment of Images**

Robert A. Maxwell, Institute of Fine Arts, New York Univ.

**Further Perspectives on “A Castilian Tradition of Bible Illustration”: Re-examining the Connection between the Bibles of San Isidoro de Leon (960 and 1162)**

Ana Hernandez, Univ. Complutense de Madrid

**A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Seder: What the “Hispano-Moresque” Haggadah Can Tell Us about Medieval Creativity**

Julie A. Harris, Spertus Institute

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Friday 10:00 a.m.

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Fetzer  
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### Cistercian Writers

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Diane Riggs, Western Michigan Univ.

#### ***Inpeccantia* according to William of Saint-Thierry**

Aage Rydstrom-Poulsen, Kalaallit Nunaata Univ.

#### **The Role of Wisdom in the Theology of Gueric d'Igny**

Paul E. Lockey, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston

#### **Rich Abbot, Poor Abbot: The Evangelization of Abbot Suger of Saint-Denis**

Cheryl Kayahara-Bass, Independent Scholar

Session 183  
Fetzer  
1045

### Gender, Affect, and Lyric Voice (A Roundtable)

Sponsor: Dept. of English, Temple Univ.  
Organizer: Carissa M. Harris, Temple Univ.; Sarah Baechle, Univ. of Notre Dame  
Presider: Carissa M. Harris

#### **"The Noble Way You Blushed": Queering Mourning Verse in Early Irish Sagas**

Marjorie Housley, Univ. of Notre Dame

#### **Audience, Understanding, and Lyric Darkness in Medieval North Atlantic Verse**

Dan Redding-Brielmaier, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

#### **A Demon's Rhyming Couplets in the Alliterative Prose *Seinte Margarete***

Jenny C. Bledsoe, Emory Univ.

#### **Engendering Empathy: Criseyde among the Greeks**

Sarah Baechle

#### **Listening to Christ in the Late Medieval Lyric**

Barbara Zimbalist, Univ. of Texas–El Paso

#### **Drama and Lyric Passion**

Emma Lipton, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

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### Chaucer Studies

Presider: Rosanne Gasse, Brandon Univ.

#### **The Significance of Saffron in the *Pardoner's Tale***

Kathryn R. Vulić, Western Washington Univ.

#### **A "Privee Place" and Sovereign Space: Competing Necropolitical Acts in *The Prioress's Tale***

Jacquelyn Hendricks, Santa Clara Univ.

#### **A Comparison of Prologues F and G in Chaucer's *The Legend of Good Women*: The Danger of Reductive Reading**

Megan Arnott, Western Michigan Univ.

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### The Recontextualization of Christian Doctrine at the End of Middle Ages

Sponsor: Taiwan Association of Classical, Medieval, and Renaissance Studies (TACMRS)

Organizer: Chih-hsin Lin, National Chengchi Univ.

Presider: Brent Addison Moberly, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

#### **"Up to the Farthest, Highest Peak of Mystic Scripture": Mystical Itineraries from Pseudo-Dionysius the Areopagite to Saint John of the Cross**

Wesley Hwang, National Chung Hsing Univ.

#### **"Of Haukyn the Actif Man": Recontextualizing the Active Life in *Piers Plowman***

Carolyn F. Scott, National Cheng Kung Univ.

**Simple Pastors and Deceitful Preachers in the Pastoral World of Spenser's  
*Shepherd's Calendar***

Chih-hsin Lin

**Discursive Bodies: Representations of Heroic Women in Medieval Spanish  
Literature**

Sponsor: Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)

Organizer: Emily Colbert Cairns, Salve Regina Univ.

Presider: Emily Colbert Cairns

**Beyond the Virgin or the Whore: Heroic Female Discourse in Ramon Llull's  
*Arbre de filosofia d'amor* (1298)**

Amy M. Austin, Univ. of Texas–Arlington

**Dead Bodies and the Virgin: Historiography and Authority in Leitão de  
Andrade's *Miscellânea***

Elizabeth Spragins, Stanford Univ.

**Heroic and Ordinary Deaths of Portuguese Queens: Teaching How to Die in  
Sentimental Fiction and Chronicles from the Fifteenth Century.**

Ana M. Montero, St. Louis Univ.

**The Cultures of Armenia and Georgia**

Sponsor: Rare Book Dept., The Free Library of Philadelphia

Organizer: Bert Beynen, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Temple Univ.

Presider: Bert Beynen

**Religions in Competition: Christianity and Islam in Twelfth-Century  
Armenian Neomartyrologies**

Sergio La Porta, California State Univ.–Fresno

**The Reorganization of Tense, Aspect, and Mood in Medieval Georgian**

Rusudan Asatiani, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State Univ.

**The Translation Corpus of the Pre-Athonite Period**

Nino Doborjginidze, Ilia State Univ., and Irina Lobzhanidze, Ilia State Univ.

**MS Cairo Syriac 11: The Tri-Lingual Garshuni Manuscript Dictionary**

Ester Petrosyan, Central European Univ.

**Power and the Court in the Medieval Mediterranean**

Sponsor: CU Mediterranean Studies Group; Mediterranean Seminar

Organizer: Núria Silleras-Fernández, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder; Zita Eva Rohr,  
Univ. of Sydney

Presider: Núria Silleras-Fernández

**Epistolography and the Articulation of State Power: Ibn Abi Khisal al-Ghafiqi  
at the Almoravid Court in Marrakesh**

Russell Hopley, Bowdoin College

**A Queen of Two Courts: Elionor, Princess of Sicily and Queen of Aragon**

Donald J. Kagay, Albany State Univ.

**Mayhem, Murder, and Madness: Tensions and Power Plays at the Court of  
Giovanna I of Naples (1344–1382)**

Zita Eva Rohr

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**Editing for the Classroom, Translating for the Stage: Making Medieval Drama Accessible to Modern Audiences**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS)  
Organizer: Frank M. Napolitano, Radford Univ.  
Presider: Andrew M. Pfrenger, Kent State Univ.–Salem

**Is There an Audience for This Play? Constructing the Reader of Modernized Medieval Drama**

Christina M. Fitzgerald, Univ. of Toledo, and John T. Sebastian, Loyola Univ. New Orleans

**Ethically Glossing/Glossing Ethically: Working with Public-Domain Texts**

Cameron Hunt McNabb, Southeastern Univ., and Frank M. Napolitano

**Translation and Fashion, or, How Long Is a Translation Supposed to Last?**

Mario B. Longtin, Western Univ.

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**Musical Analysis**

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.; Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross  
Presider: Adam Knight Gilbert, Univ. of Southern California

**A Method for Analysis of Mensural Polyphony in Early Music (ca. 1200–1600)**

Kevin N. Moll, East Carolina Univ.

**Analysis of Chant in the Music Theory Classroom**

Richard O. Devore, Kent State Univ.

**The Genesis of Canon in Two Medieval Compositional Procedures: A**

**Validation of the Concept of “Protoforms”**

Carlos Iafelice, Instituto de Artes, Univ. Estadual Paulista

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**Digital Skin: Sensory Experiences of Digital Manuscripts**

Sponsor: English Language, Univ. of Glasgow  
Organizer: Johanna M. E. Green, Univ. of Glasgow; Andrew Prescott, Univ. of Glasgow  
Presider: Johanna M. E. Green

**Electric Ink**

Andrew Prescott

**The Book**

Eduardo Kac, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

**Through a Glass Darkly, or, Rethinking Medieval Materiality: A Tale of Carpets, Screens, and Parchment.**

Emma Cayley, Univ. of Exeter

Respondent: Pamela M. King, Univ. of Glasgow

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**Space, “Race,” and Ethnicity**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of Place and Space (MAPS)  
Organizer: Kathy Lavezzo, Univ. of Iowa  
Presider: Kathy Lavezzo

**“The Proude Court of Paradis”: Explorations of Otherness in Middle English Romance**

John A. Geck, Memorial Univ. of Newfoundland

**India in the Fifteenth Century**

Galia Halpern, DePauw Univ.

**The Location of Desire: Refractions of Objecthood in *Aucassin and Nicolette***

Stefanie Goyette, New York Univ.

**“Rare” and Wondrous: Cannibalism and the Monstrous Races on Late**

**Medieval and Early Modern Maps**

Sarah L. Reeser, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Papers in Honor of R. D. Fulk I**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Institute, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

Organizer: Megan E. Hartman, Univ. of Nebraska–Kearney

Presider: Stefan Jurasinski, College at Brockport

**Sieversian Metrics, Manuscript Collation, and Textual Criticism**

Leonard Neidorf, Harvard Univ.

**Fulk’s Laws and the Reliability of Sieversian Metrics**

Rafael J. Pascual, Harvard Univ./Univ. de Granada

**Aesthetics and Association: *Beowulf* Concordances and Their Source Editions**

Grant Leyton Simpson, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

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**Hermaphroditus in Medieval Art, Literature, and Thought**

Sponsor: Societas Ovidiana

Organizer: Morris Tichenor, Univ. of Toronto

Presider: Morris Tichenor

**Hermaphroditus in the Middle Ages: The Latin Commentary Tradition on**

**Ovid’s *Metamorphoses***

William Little, Ohio State Univ.

**Trans-Like Identities in the Late Middle Ages and Early Renaissance**

Sarah Gregory, Univ. of Toronto

**Picturing Hermaphrodites in Paradise**

Leah DeVun, Rutgers Univ.

**Hermaphroditus and Pygmalion in the *Roman de la rose***

David Rollo, Univ. of Southern California

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**Visual Cultures of Death in the Medieval Islamic World**

Organizer: Luke A. Fidler, Univ. of Chicago

Presider: Luke A. Fidler

***Makli, Makkah Li, Bustan-i Bahaar*: The Many Faces of a Necropolis in Sindh, Pakistan**

Fatima Quraishi, Institute of Fine Arts, New York Univ.

**Mudejarismo y muerte: Islamic Architecture in Christian Funerary Architecture**

David M. Reher, Univ. of Chicago

**The Burial Fabrics of Fatimid Egypt: The Funerary Context of Early Islamic Tiraz Textiles**

Jochen Sokoly, Virginia Commonwealth Univ.–Qatar

Respondent: Ethel Sara Wolper, Univ. of New Hampshire

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**Local Sanctity in the Global Middle Ages: The Material Promotion of New Saints I**

Sponsor: Dommuseum Hildesheim; J. Paul Getty Museum  
Organizer: Kristen M. Collins, J. Paul Getty Museum; Gerhard Lutz, Dommuseum Hildesheim  
Presider: Gerhard Lutz

**Celestial Saints and Material Gifts: Some Remarks on Reliquary Shrines of the Twelfth and Thirteenth Centuries**

Dorothee Kemper, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel

**Aspects of Local Liturgical Reality in Pictorial Lives of Holy Bishops: The Pontificale Coloniense and the Shrine of Saint Heribert of Cologne**

Esther-Luisa Schuster, Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Univ. Bonn

**The Cult of Helena in Trier: From the Foundation of the Cathedral to the Origins of a Worship**

Céline Ménager, Univ. de Paris–Sorbonne

**Local Hero: Saint-Eucise at Selles-sur-Cher**

Deborah Kahn, Boston Univ.

Session 197  
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**Easter 1916: Revolutionary Medievalists, the Celtic Revival, and the Cultural War for Irish Independence (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS); Roinn Theanga agus Litríocht na Gaeilge/Dept. of Irish Language and Literature, Univ. of Notre Dame

Organizer: Amy C. Mulligan, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Maggie M. Williams, William Paterson Univ.

**Oliver Sheppard's vision of the Celtic Revival**

Meredith Bacola, Univ. of Manitoba

**Ireland's Youth and the Heroic and Saintly Past**

Aedin Clements, Univ. of Notre Dame

**The Book of Kells, Old Saint Pat's Church, and Revolutionary Images in Irish-Catholic Chicago**

Amy C. Mulligan

**Thomas MacDonough and Shakespeare**

Rory Rapple, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Celtic Heroes in Early Twentieth-Century School Curricula and Children's Literature**

Catherine Swift, Mary Immaculate College, Univ. of Limerick

Respondent: Maggie M. Williams

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**Scandinavian Studies**

Sponsor: Society for the Advancement of Scandinavian Studies

Organizer: Shaun F. D. Hughes, Purdue Univ.

Presider: Shaun F. D. Hughes

**Medicine or Magic: Viking Age Health Care**

Danielle Turner, California State Univ.–Fullerton

**The Quest for the Golden Fleece: Literary and Social Contexts of the Voyage of the Argonauts in Old Norse *Trójumanna saga***

Sabine Heidi Walther, Nordisk Forskningsinstitut Arnamagnæan Collection



**The Curious Case of Mord Valgardsson: Instigation, Deception, and Conversion**

Gregory L. Laing, Harding Univ.

**Universalist Aspirations in Hauksbók**

Jonas Wellendorf, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Charlemagne in Spain (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Société Rencesvals, American-Canadian Branch

Organizer: Matthew Bailey, Washington and Lee Univ.

Presider: Marianne Ailes, Univ. of Bristol

**Charlemagne as a Creative Force in the Spanish Epic**

Matthew Bailey

**Rebel Nephews and Royal Sisters: The Tale of Bernardo del Carpio**

Lucy K. Pick, Univ. of Chicago

**The Old Counselors in the Roncesvals “Matière” and the Spanish Epic**

Mercedes Vaquero, Brown Univ.

**Converting the Saracen: The *Historia del emperador Carlomagno* and the Christianization of Granada**

Ryan D. Giles, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**The Construction of Space and Place in the Narrative: “Cuento del emperador Carlos Maynes de Roma e de la buena emperatris Seuilla, su mugier”**

Anibal Biglieri, Univ. of Kentucky

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Friday 10:00 a.m.

**Romance Ecologies I: Tame Beasts/Wild Men**

Sponsor: Medieval Romance Society

Organizer: Fiona Mozley, Univ. of York

Presider: Diane Purkiss, Univ. of Oxford

**Taming the Flesh: *Bisclavret* and the Animal-Human Body**

Andrea Whitacre, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Beyond Mastery: Interspecies Apprenticeship in Middle English Romance**

Bonnie J. Erwin, Wilmington College

**Subterranean Impress: Reading Caves in *The Book of John Mandeville***

Alan S. Montroso, George Washington Univ.

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**Instructional Writing in the History of English**

Organizer: Magdalena Bator, Univ. of Social Sciences, Warsaw

Presider: Magdalena Bator

**Middle English Instructions for a Carver**

David Scott-Macnab, Univ. of Johannesburg

**Medieval and Early American Recipes: A Comparison of Typological Features**

Radosław Dylewski, Adam Mickiewicz Univ.

**Medieval Medical Writings and Their Readers: Communication of Knowledge in Middle English Medical Recipes**

Marta Sylwanowicz, Univ. of Social Sciences, Warsaw

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**De lingua Latina vivente in studiis mediaevalibus huius temporis (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Paideia Institute for Humanistic Study; Pontifical Academy Latinitas  
Organizer: Jason Pedicone, Paideia Institute for Humanistic Study  
Presider: Daniel B. Gallagher, Paideia Institute for Humanistic Study

A roundtable discussion with Nancy Llewellyn, Wyoming Catholic College; Diane Warne Anderson, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston; and Alexander Andrée, Univ. of Toronto.

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**Hell Studies: Presenting and Representing Hell**

Sponsor: Societas Daemonetica  
Organizer: Richard Ford Burley, Boston College  
Presider: Nicole Ford Burley, Boston Univ.

**The Devil's Monstrous Landscapes: Hell on Earth**

Karra Shimabukuro, Univ. of New Mexico

**Bridget's World: The Swedish Saint's View of Heaven and Hell**

Mark Peterson, James Madison Univ.

**The Representation of Hell in Orthodox Iconography**

Raoul Smith, Museum of Russian Icons

**An Aztec Jaguar Warrior and the Dating of the Albi Cathedral Last Judgment**

James Bugslag, Univ. of Manitoba

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Schneider  
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**Connections between Western Chant Traditions**

Sponsor: Old Hispanic Office Project, Plainsong and Medieval Music Society  
Organizer: Rebecca Maloy, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder  
Presider: James Borders, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**The Divine Office in Toledo, Rome, and Gaul I: Advent Responsories**

Rebecca Maloy and Mason Brown, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**The Divine Office in Toledo, Rome, and Gaul II: Lenten and Holy Week Responsories**

Megan Quilliam, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder; Ruth Opara, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder; and Melanie Shaffer, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**Opening Vespers: Same Texts, Different Melodies and Assignments**

Raquel Rojo Carrillo, Univ. of Bristol

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**The Bloody Stylus, the Mangled Doormat, and the Blossoming Rose: Perspectives on Henry Suso's Work on the 650th Anniversary of his Death**

Organizer: Steven Rozenski, Univ. of Rochester  
Presider: J. Christian Straubhaar, Carolina-Duke Graduate Program in German Studies

**Wisdom as Christ in the *Horologium sapientiae* and Its Translations**

Esther Lemmerz, Georg-August-Univ. Göttingen

**Performative Asceticism and Exemplary Effluvia: Blood, Tears, and Rapture in the Writing of the Fourteenth-Century Rhineland**

Samuel Baudinette, Monash Univ.

**"The Depths of the Sea as Ink": Translating Henry Suso from Middle High German and Latin**

Steven Rozenski

**Voices from the Past: Historiographical Narrative versus Individual Points of View**

Sponsor: Claremont Consortium for Medieval and Early Modern Studies  
Organizer: Nancy van Deusen, Claremont Graduate Univ.  
Presider: Brian Patrick McGuire, Roskilde Univ.

**The Fall of Æthelred's England and Imaginative Historiography**

Helen Damico, Univ. of New Mexico

**The Subtle Pen: Orderic of Vitalis and the Conquest of England**

Maren Clegg-Hyer, Valdosta State Univ.

**Quintilian's Voice**

Nancy van Deusen

Session 206  
Schneider  
1330

**Soaring across Culture: Eagles in Medieval Art, Literature, Coins, and Seals**

Organizer: Susan Solway, DePaul Univ.  
Presider: Susan Solway

**The Hyperbolic Eagle: Medieval Literature's Debt**

Lesley Kordecki, DePaul Univ.

**Eagle Capitals in the Dome of the Rock**

Lawrence Nees, Univ. of Delaware

**Latin Eagle, Vernacular Poetics: Tradition and Innovation in *The House of Fame***

Anson Andrews, Univ. of Louisiana–Monroe

Session 207  
Schneider  
1335

**Spenserian Cornerstones**

Sponsor: Spenser at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Sean Henry, Univ. of Victoria; Rachel E. Hile, Indiana Univ.-Purdue  
Univ.–Fort Wayne; Susannah Brietz Monta, Univ. of Notre Dame  
Presider: Thomas Fulton, Rutgers Univ.

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**Opening Remarks**

William A. Oram, Smith College

**Spenser's "Other Undertaking": *The Faerie Queene* and Financing Hap-Hazard**

Jean R. Brink, Huntington Library

**Spenser's Merchant's Tale: Virgil and Chaucer in the Malbecco Fable (III. ix–x)**

Nickolas Haydock, Univ. of Puerto Rico-Mayagüez

**"I feel the earth move": Geological Humanity in the Spenser-Harvey Letters and the House of Busirane**

Bradley D. Tuggle, Univ. of Alabama

**Spenser's *March* and Sixteenth-Century Philology**

David Adkins, Univ. of Toronto

Friday 10:00 a.m.

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**Urban Space and Urban Resources in Medieval Central Europe**

Sponsor: Dept. of History, Memorial Univ. of Newfoundland  
Organizer: Sébastien Rossignol, Memorial Univ.; Shami Ghosh, Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies  
Presider: Donat Wehner, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel

**Urban Planning and Urban Resources: The Locatio Charters of Greater Poland in the Thirteenth Century**

Sébastien Rossignol

**Central European Towns as Locations of Royal Meetings in the Middle Ages**

Balázs Nagy, Eötvös Loránd Univ./Central European Univ.

**The Elites of the Hanseatic City of Gdańsk in a Time of Change: The Effects of a Big Conflict between Poland and the Teutonic Order in the Years 1454–1466**

Beata Możejko, Univ. Gdański

Session 210  
Schneider  
1350

**Metaphors of the Body Political: Research Inspired by Takashi Shogimen**

Sponsor: Politicas: The Society for the Study of Political Thought in the Middle Ages  
Organizer: Elizabeth McCartney, Politicas  
Presider: Karen Bollermann, Independent Scholar

**Dei Gratia: Hincar of Rheims and a Carolingian Theology of Power**

Andrew Salzmann, Benedictine College

**The Hungry Stomach of the Body Politic: Personification and Biopolitics**

Gaelan Gilbert, St. Katherine College

**The Reception of Tacitus in German Humanism**

Thomas Renna, Saginaw Valley State Univ.

**The vBody (Politic) Lives! Erasmus's Uses of the Organic Metaphor**

Cary J. Nederman, Texas A&M Univ.

Session 211  
Schneider  
1355

**Women Healing Body and Soul**

Sponsor: *Magistra: A Journal of Women's Spirituality in History*  
Organizer: Judith Sutera, OSB, Magistra Publications  
Presider: Judith Sutera, OSB

**Healing Empathy: Compassion as a Spiritual Practice in the Works of Angela of Foligno**

Christina Llanes, Univ. of Chicago

**The Healing Potential of Oning: Integration of the Higher and Lower Selves through Beholding in the Texts of Julian of Norwich**

Janna Gosselin, New Theological Seminary of the West

**Hildegard's Enlightening Visions: *Caritas* and *Veriditas* as Sources of Healing**

Leah Buturain Schneider, Fuller Theological Seminary

Session 212  
Schneider  
1360

**Parchment or Paper? Choosing the Writing Medium in the Era before Printing**

Sponsor: Research Group on Manuscript Evidence  
Organizer: Mildred Budny, Research Group on Manuscript Evidence  
Presider: David Porreca, Univ. of Waterloo

**Double Act: Manuscripts Combining Paper and Parchment**

Mildred Budny

**Four Cartulary Fragments in Parchment and Paper**

David W. Sorenson, Allen G. Berman, Numismatist

**The Rise of Merchant Use of Paper**

Eleanor A. Congdon, Youngstown State Univ.

**Parchment: The Worst Writing Medium except for All Others**

Jesse Meyer, Pergamena

**Modern Approaches to Teaching the Middle Ages: Challenges of the Present as Catalysts for the Rediscovery of the Past**

Organizer: Albrecht Classen, Univ. of Arizona

Presider: Albrecht Classen

**Hands-On History: Trading Smartboards for Swords**

Darrin Cox, West Liberty Univ.

**Movies, Manuscripts, and Comic-Strips: A Multimedia Approach to Teaching Medieval Literature in the Post-medieval Undergraduate Classroom**

Karen Casebier, Univ. of Tennessee–Chattanooga

**Teaching Medieval German Literature in Museums: Kriemhild, Brunhild, and Dr. Faust**

Siegrid Schmidt, Univ. Salzburg

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Schneider  
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**“Can These Bones Come to Life?”: Insights from Re-construction, Re-enactment, and Re-creation**

Sponsor: Societas Johannis Higginsis

Organizer: Kenneth Mondschein, Societas Johannis Higginsis

Presider: Kenneth Mondschein

**Part of the Whole: Deciphering Medieval Stage Techniques through Performance**

Lydia Craig, Loyola Univ. Chicago, and Richard Gilbert, Loyola Univ. Chicago

**Extant Damage On Late Medieval Edged Weapons and Armours: Initial Findings and Interpretations**

James Hester, Univ. of Southampton

**The Battle of Nations: Prowess, Politics, and Parallels in a Re-created Deed of Arms**

Michael A. Cramer, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY

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Bernhard  
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**How We Read I: Medieval Literature**

Sponsor: Medieval Academy of America

Organizer: Jane Chance, Rice Univ.

Presider: Laurie A. Finke, Kenyon College

**Dante’s Bewildered Dreamer and the Abandoned Children of Limbo**

Gwenyth Hood, Marshall Univ.

**Where’s the Bob? Reading *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight* in the MS Cotton Nero A.x**

Julie Nelson Couch, Texas Tech Univ.

**The Clothes Make the Man: Hawkin and the Politics of Costume**

John Slefinger, Ohio State Univ.

**Reading Morgan le Fay’s Poisoned Mantle**

Laura F. Hodges, Independent Scholar

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**Marginal Bodies, Corporeal Communities in Anglo-Saxon England**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Columbus State Univ.  
Organizer: Shannon N. Godlove, Columbus State Univ.  
Presider: Shannon N. Godlove

**The Borh: Resistance Is Feudal**

S. Jay Lemanski, Missouri Western State Univ.

***Guthlac A*: Envisioning the Community, Sanctifying the Self**

Curtis Thomas, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Warnings from the Grave: Necromancy, Talking Bodies, and the Final Marvel of Wonders of the East**

Jill Hamilton Clements, Lindenwood Univ.

**Shame and Sense: Writing the World to Come in the Soul and Body Poems**

Jennifer A. Lorden, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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Bernhard  
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**Anglo-Saxon Books and Libraries: In Memoriam Lewis Nicholson (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: Medieval Institute, Univ. of Notre Dame  
Organizer: Mae Kilker, Univ. of Notre Dame  
Presider: Christopher Robert John Scheirer, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Building an Archive: The Peterborough Chronicle in Local Context**

Scott Thompson Smith, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**Homilies, Apocrypha, and Preaching Networks in Anglo-Saxon England**

Brandon W. Hawk, Rhode Island College

**An Anglo-Saxon Library in Early Modern England: Formation and Use**

Timothy C. Graham, Univ. of New Mexico

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Bernhard  
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**New Research in Germanic Medieval Studies I: History, Narrative, and Authority**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Germanic Studies (SMGS)  
Organizer: Marian Elizabeth Polhill, Univ. of Puerto Rico–Recinto de Río Piedras; Jeffrey Turco, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Jeffrey Turco

**Historical Truth and Narrative Exemplarity in the Fourteenth-Century Dominican Sisterbooks**

Claire Taylor Jones, Univ. of Notre Dame

**The Historiographic Program of Hermann I's Literary Patronage**

Stephen Mark Carey, Univ. of Minnesota–Morris

**The Medieval Fechtbuch: Questions regarding Authors, Authority, and Audience**

Rebecca L. R. Garber, Cambridge Historical European Martial Arts Study Group

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Bernhard  
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**Tolkien and Invented Languages**

Sponsor: Tolkien at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Brad Eden, Valparaiso Univ.  
Presider: Brad Eden

**From Goldogrin to Sindarin, or, How Ilkorin Supplanted the “Sweet Tongue of the Gnomes”**

Eileen Marie Moore, Cleveland State Univ.

**Early Explorers and Practitioners of a Shared “Secret Vice”**

Andrew Higgins, Independent Scholar

**“Art Words”: Tolkien’s “Secret Vice” Manuscripts and Radical Linguistic Experimentation**

Dimitra Fimi, Cardiff Metropolitan Univ.

**Tolkien’s Concept of “Native Language” and the English and Welsh Papers at the Bodleian Library**

Yoko Hemmi, Keio Univ.

**Jewish Women in Medieval England (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Adrienne Williams Boyarin, Univ. of Victoria

Presider: Ruth Nisse, Wesleyan Univ.

**The Social Networks of Anglo-Jewish Women**

Charlotte Newman Goldy, Miami Univ. of Ohio

**Jewish Women in Medieval England: Unearthing the Records**

Miriamne Ara Krummel, Univ. of Dayton/Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Finding Jewish Brides in Twelfth- and Thirteenth-Century England**

Ethan Zadoff, Graduate Center, CUNY

**Side by Side? Jewish and Christian Women and *Convivencia* in England, ca. 1100–1290**

Pelia Werth, Univ. of Leeds

**The Anglo-Jewess Represented: On the Polemics of Sameness**

Adrienne Williams Boyarin

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Friday 10:00 a.m.

**Gendered Spaces**

Sponsor: *Hortulus: The Online Graduate Journal of Medieval Studies*

Organizer: Melissa Ridley Elmes, Univ. of North Carolina–Greensboro

Presider: Melissa Ridley Elmes

**Marcigny-sur-Loire: A Study of Relationships between Two Cluniac Priors**

Aurore Drouhin, Univ. de Strasbourg

**Moving the Female Body in Public: An examination of Gestural Lessons**

**Presented in Didactic Literature from the Reign of Charles VI of France**

Carlisle Mackie, Trent Univ.

**Feminine Spaces, Homosociality, and the Queering of Sir Gawain**

Jessica Pitts, Florida State Univ.

**The Gendered Spaces of *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Christopher David Queen, Purdue Univ.

Session 221  
Bernhard  
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**Hylomorphism and Mereology**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Logic and Metaphysics

Organizer: Alexander W. Hall, Clayton State Univ.

Presider: Alexander W. Hall

**Boethius of Dacia on the *Differentiae* and the Unity of Definitions**

Rodrigo Guerizoli, Univ. Federal do Rio de Janeiro

**What Has Aquinas Got against Platonic Forms?**

Turner C. Nevitt, Univ. of San Diego

**Mereological Hylomorphism and the Development of the Buridanian Account of Formal Consequence**

Jacob Archambault, Fordham Univ.

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Session 223  
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**Translations and Transmissions: Women's Book Culture in France and the Low Countries**

Sponsor: International Marguerite Porete Society  
Organizer: Zan Kocher, Independent Scholar  
Presider: Michael G. Sargent, Queens College and Graduate Center, CUNY

**Marguerite Porete and Books: Evidence and Hypotheses**

Danielle Dubois, Univ. of Manitoba

**The Porret (Pourret, Pourres, etc.) Families and the Books They Owned in Tournai, ca. 1200–1400**

Zan Kocher

**A Royal Wedding Gift and the Transmission of Marguerite Porete's *Mirror of Simple Souls***

Robert Stauffer, Dominican College

**The Gendered Obedience of Saint Bridget of Sweden: Using a Female Saint as a Didactic Model of Obedience**

Sara Danielle Mederos, Univ. of Lincoln

Session 224  
Bernhard  
Brown &  
Gold Room

**With Emily Thornbury: Dark Age Classicisms**

Sponsor: Harvard English Dept. Medieval Colloquium  
Organizer: Taylor Cowdery, Harvard Univ.  
Presider: Erica Weaver, Harvard Univ.

**The Reincarnation of the Roman Heroine in the Old English *Judith* Poem**

Kathryn Green, Univ. of Louisville

**Aldhelm and the East: Greek Influences at Canterbury**

Anna Johnson Lyman, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Virgil's *Georgics* in Dark Age Britain**

Matthew T. Hussey, Simon Fraser Univ.

**Reinventing Classical Aesthetics in Anglo-Saxon England**

Emily V. Thornbury, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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Library  
Classroom  
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**The Medieval Electronic Scholarly Alliance (MESA): A Hands-On Workshop**

Sponsor: Medieval Electronic Scholarly Alliance (MESA)  
Organizer: Timothy L. Stinson, North Carolina State Univ.  
Presider: Dorothy Carr Porter, Univ. of Pennsylvania

A workshop intended to introduce users to searching the Medieval Electronic Scholarly Alliance (MESA), collecting and tagging digital objects, creating online exhibitions, teaching with MESA, and submitting projects for membership in MESA.

—End of 10:00 a.m. Sessions—



## Friday, May 13 Lunchtime Events

11:30 a.m.	<b>Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)</b> Advisory Board Meeting	Fetzer 1030
11:30 a.m.	<b>Hagiography Society</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 107
11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.	<b>LUNCH</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
11:45 a.m.	<b>Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS)</b> Executive Council Meeting	Fetzer 1055
Noon	<b>Game Cultures Society</b> Business Meeting	Valley III Stinson 303
Noon	<b>Société Rencesvals, American-Canadian Branch</b> Business Meeting	Valley II LeFevre Lounge
Noon	<b>Women in the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition (WIFIT)</b> Business Meeting	Valley II Garneau Lounge
Noon	<b>International Arthurian Society, North American Branch (IAS/NAB)</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1005
Noon	<b>Grammar Rabble</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1060
Noon	<b>American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS)</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 2020
Noon	<b>Material Collective</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 2030
Noon	<b>Societas Ovidiana</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1145
Noon	<b>Society for the Study of Homosexuality in the Middle Ages (SSHMA)</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 211
Noon	<b>Episcopus: Society for the Study of Bishops and Secular Clergy in the Middle Ages</b> Business Meeting and Reception	Bernhard Faculty Lounge
Noon	<b>CARA (Committee on Centers and Regional Associations, Medieval Academy of America)</b> Business Meeting (pre-registration required)	Bernhard President's Dining Room

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**1:30 p.m.–3:00 p.m.**  
**Sessions 226–277**

Friday 1:30 p.m.

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**The Consolations of Philology**

Organizer: Benjamin S. W. Barootes, McGill Univ.

Presider: Benjamin S. W. Barootes

**Consolingly Precise: the Use of *Secgan* in Old English Poetry**

Myriam Frenkel, Exeter College, Univ. of Oxford

**Old English *Metod* and the Fate of “Fate”**

Axton Crolley, Univ. of Notre Dame

**The Language of Law and Poetry in the Anglo-Saxon Period and Beyond: A Shared Fiction?**

Anya Adair, Yale Univ.

Session 227  
Valley III  
Stinson  
Lounge

**Papers in Honor of R. D. Fulk II**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Institute, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

Organizer: Megan E. Hartman, Univ. of Nebraska–Kearney

Presider: Megan E. Hartman

**“I could love a man of those three colours”: Statements of Desire and Loss in Old Irish and Old English “Women’s Laments”**

Lesley E. Jacobs, Brown Univ.

***Locus Infernus* to Local Hell: Translation, Localization, and the Gospel of Nicodemus**

Stephen Hopkins, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**A Little Worm Told Me: Reading the *Beowulf* Manuscript from a Worm’s Eye View**

Haruko Momma, New York Univ.

Session 228  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**Franciscan Virtue? Minorite Morality and Beyond**

Sponsor: Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure Univ.

Organizer: Krijn Pansters, Tilburg Univ.

Presider: Timothy J. Johnson, Flagler College

**Uncommon Decency: A Franciscan Metric of the Good**

Amanda D. Quantz, Univ. of St. Mary

***Virtus, Vita, Votum*: Obedience as an Early Minorite Value beyond Virtue**

Nicholas W. Youmans, Technische Univ. Dresden

***Humilitas* and *Studium*: Franciscan Virtues in Tension**

Holly J. Grieco, Siena College

Session 229  
Valley II  
Garneau  
Lounge

**Wisdom Carried Over: Translating Early Proverbs, Sayings, and Sentential Material**

Sponsor: Early Proverb Society (EPS)

Organizer: Karl Arthur Erik Persson, Signum Univ.

Presider: Sarah M. Anderson, Princeton Univ.

**Sapiential Literature and the Language of Human Reason**

Alice Hutton Sharp, McGill Univ.

**Translating Proverbiality in the Old English “Dicts of Cato”**

Evan Wilson, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Thomas Becket's Civil War: "Pila Minantia Pilis"**

Tristan Taylor, Univ. of Saskatchewan

**Bede's Translation of Proverbs into His Other Exegetical Works**

Gernot Wieland, Univ. of British Columbia

Response: Karl Arthur Erik Persson

**Graduate Student Experiences: Training for the Current Job Market (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Goliardic Society, Western Michigan Univ.

Organizer: Eric Gobel, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ.

Presider: Eric Gobel

A roundtable discussion with Jan Volek, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities; Jamie McCandless, Western Michigan Univ.; Jordan Amspacher, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville; Claire Herhold, Western Michigan Univ.; Charles Lein, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ.; and Erin Lynch, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ., with a response by Lofton L. Durham, Western Michigan Univ.

Session 230  
Valley I  
Hadley  
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**Thomas Aquinas II**

Sponsor: Thomas Aquinas Society

Organizer: John F. Boyle, Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota

Presider: Paul Jerome Keller, OP, Athenaeum of Ohio

**Saint Thomas on the Subtlety and Spirituality of the Glorified Body**

Christopher M. Brown, Univ. of Tennessee–Martin

***Verbum* as a Proper Name of the Son in Saint Thomas Aquinas**

David Liberto, Notre Dame Seminary

**The Faith of *Doctores* in the Thirteenth Century: Hugh of Saint-Cher, Thomas Aquinas, and the Vocation of the Lay Theologian**

Jacob W. Wood, Franciscan Univ. of Steubenville

Session 231  
Valley I  
Shilling  
Lounge

**Unhappy Happy Endings in Arthurian Literature**

Sponsor: International Arthurian Society, North American Branch (IAS/NAB)

Organizer: Karen Cherewatuk, St. Olaf College

Presider: Karen Cherewatuk

**The Afterlife of an Ambiguous Ending: How *Yvain's* Conclusion Fares in the Hands of Chrétien's Germanic Adapters**

Joseph M. Sullivan, Univ. of Oklahoma

**Brunor's Ambiguous Ending in the Prose Tristram, Happy or Unhappy?**

Janina P. Traxler, Manchester Univ.

**Unhappy Happy-Endings in Medieval English Arthuriana: What Does It Mean When Romances Fail to Live Up to Expectations?**

Mickey Sweeney, Dominican Univ.

**Unhappy Happy Endings in the Stanzaic *Morte* and Malory**

Fiona Tolhurst, Florida Gulf Coast Univ., and Kevin S. Whetter, Acadia Univ.

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Fetzer  
1010

**New Perspectives on Medieval Rome I**

Sponsor: Italian Art Society  
Organizer: Alison Locke Perchuk, California State Univ.–Channel Islands;  
Marius B. Hauknes, Johns Hopkins Univ.  
Presider: Alison Locke Perchuk

**Bound By Nolli? Cartography and Mapping Medieval Rome**

Catherine Carver, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Porticoes and Papal Ceremony at Rome: The Via Triumphalis in the Middle Ages**

Hendrik Dey, Hunter College, CUNY

**The Splendor of Roman Gold: Gilded Glass in Medieval Roman Monuments**

Sarah Dillon, Kingsborough Community College, CUNY

**Image in Fragments: The Mosaic Man of Sorrows at Santa Croce in**

**Gerusalemme in Rome**

John Lansdowne, Princeton Univ.

Session 234  
Fetzer  
1040

**The Teachings of Bernard of Clairvaux**

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Elias Dietz, OCSO, Abbey of Gethsemani

**Bernard of Clairvaux and the Three Stages of Charity**

Margaret Blume, Univ. of Notre Dame

**The Beginning of All Sin Is Curiosity: The Pivotal Role of *Curiositas* in**

**Bernard of Clairvaux's Overarching Vision of the Spiritual Life**

James Upton DeFrancis, Jr., Christendom College

**“Diversa sed Non Adversa”: Saint Bernard's Christological Development of Image and Likeness from *On Grace and Free Choice* to the *Sermons on the Song of Songs***

Jonathan M. Kaltenbach, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Bernard of Clairvaux: *Scientia Inflans* and Its History**

Marvin Döbler, Ev.-luth. Landeskirche Hannovers

Session 235  
Fetzer  
1045

**Technologies of Reading: Theorizing Manuscript Study after the Digital Turn (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: *Exemplaria: Medieval / Early Modern / Theory*  
Organizer: Sylvia Federico, Bates College  
Presider: Sylvia Federico

A roundtable discussion with Benjamin L. Albritton, Stanford Univ.; Stewart J. Brookes, King's College London; Johanna M. E. Green, Univ. of Glasgow; Andrew Prescott, Univ. of Glasgow; Elizabeth Robertson, Univ. of Glasgow; and Robin Sutherland-Harris, Univ. of Toronto, with a response by Dorothy Kim, Vassar College.

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Fetzer  
1060

**Lollardy and Literature**

Sponsor: Lollard Society  
Organizer: Mary Raschko, Whitman College; Robyn Malo, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Robyn Malo

**Exaggerating the Effects of Arundel's *Constitutions* on Literary Production**

Henry Ansgar Kelly, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

**The Nature of the Question in the Vernacular: Lollardy and the Laity**

Erika D. Harman, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Literary Lollards: Forms of Faith, Arts of Polemic**

Mary Raschko

Respondent: Emily Steiner, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Impure Language(s)**

Sponsor: Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies

Organizer: Linde M. Brocato, Univ. of Memphis

Presider: Linde M. Brocato

**The Latinity of an Arabic Gospel: Corruption by Assimilation or Counterclaim by Approximation?**

Jason Busic, Denison Univ.

**Parsing the Pecado Sodomítico in *Siete Partidas* 7.21**

Gregory S. Hutcheson, Univ. of Louisville

**The Future Will be Beautiful: The Meaning of Style in the Barcelona and Kaufmann Haggadahs**

Abby Kornfeld, City College of New York

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**Love, Religion, and Vengeance: Aesthetic and Social Contexts in Medieval Iberian Literature**

Sponsor: Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)

Organizer: Oscar Martín, Lehman College, CUNY

Presider: Oscar Martín

**From Divine Retribution to Sisterly Anger: Revenge in the *General estoria***

Erik Ekman, Oklahoma State Univ.

**Vengeance without Reproach: Isabel of Aragon's Unlikely Power in Fourteenth-Century Portugal**

Taiko Haessler, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**A Tale of Courtly Love: Braçayda Bears Witness**

Anthony J. Perry, Georgetown Univ.

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**New Approaches to Old English Biblical Poetry**

Sponsor: Dept. of English, United States Naval Academy

Organizer: Jill Fitzgerald, United States Naval Academy

Presider: Jill Fitzgerald

**A “Womb-Shaped” Sketch of Noah’s Ark on Page 70 of MS. Junius 11**

Alessandra Molinari, Univ. degli Studi di Urbino “Carlo Bo”

**Eðylstæf and Inheritance in the Old English *Genesis***

Kelly Williams, Univ. of Illinois–Urbana-Champaign

**The Ethic of Peace in *Genesis A***

Daniel Anlezark, Univ. of Sydney

**Entering the Christian Heroic Economy: Gender, Public Behaviors, and Gift Exchange in the Old English *Juliana* and *Judith***

Michelle E. Parsons, Purdue Univ.

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Friday 1:30 p.m.

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Fetzer  
2040

### Middle English Verse

Presider: Geoffrey B. Elliott, Oklahoma State Univ.

#### Spiritual Economics: Body as Commodity in *Amis and Amiloun*

Stephanie Grace Petinos, Graduate Center, CUNY

#### Where Do Converts Come from: The Role of Women in Conversion in *The King of Tars*

Jennifer Alberghini, Graduate Center, CUNY

#### “For sorwe þe leuedi wald dye”: Maternal Anxiety and Monstrous Birth in *King of Tars*

Alison Gulley, Appalachian State Univ.

#### Two or III Feet Apart: The Effect on Meter of Numerical Expressions Provided Orthographically or in Roman Notation in Middle English Verse Romance

John C. Ford, Univ. Champollion

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### Unlocking Anglo-Saxon Textual and Material Culture

Organizer: Christina M. Heckman, Augusta Univ.

Presider: Howell D. Chickering, Amherst College

#### Flesh and the Depths of Sexual Difference in Anglo-Saxon Hagiography

Stacy S. Klein, Rutgers Univ.

#### Music as Symbol and “Somatic Discipline” in Anglo-Saxon Literature

Christina M. Heckman

#### The Nature of Dragons

Paul Acker, St. Louis Univ.

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### Musical Soundscapes and Symbols

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo

Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.;  
Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross

Presider: Kirsten Yri, Wilfrid Laurier Univ.

#### Stigmergy in the Montpellier Codex: Soundscape and Semantics

Bronwen Garand-Sheridan, Univ. of Manitoba

#### The Planetary Symphonies of Giorgio Anselmi Parmense (1385?–1443?):

#### Reforming the Monophonic Tradition of the Music of the Spheres for the Polyphonic Era

Johann F. W. Hasler, Univ. de Antioquía

#### Heymericus de Campo, Nicholas Cusanus, and Johannes Ockeghem’s Musical Symbolic Theology

Adam Knight Gilbert, Univ. of Southern California

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### Epidemic Diseases: Medieval Witnesses

Sponsor: Medica: The Society for the Study of Healing in the Middle Ages

Organizer: William H. York, Portland State Univ.

Presider: William H. York

#### The Disappearing Leper and Clandestine Christ: Understanding a Theological Topos in Bonaventure’s *Life of Saint Francis of Assisi*

Mark Lambert, Univ. of Chicago

#### Diagnosis of Plague in Gui de Chauliac’s *Chirurgia magna*

Meagan S. Allen, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Bone, Stone, and Text: Jewish Responses to the Black Death**

Susan L. Einbinder, Univ. of Connecticut

**Scale I: Microspaces**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of Place and Space (MAPS)

Organizer: Kathy Lavezzo, Univ. of Iowa

Presider: Valerie Allen, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

**Forest and Trees: Polyvalent Scale in the Geography of Malory's *Morte Darthur***

Meg Roland, Marylhurst Univ.

**Mary Magdalene's Rock**

Elizabeth Allen, Univ. of California–Irvine

**Seeing and Street Life: The Carpenter's Window**

Ellen K. Rentz, Claremont McKenna College

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**The Magician's Patrons and Clients**

Sponsor: Societas Magica

Organizer: Frank Klaassen, Univ. of Saskatchewan

Presider: Claire Fanger, Rice Univ.

**Creating a Market for Magic: The Magician-Client Relationship as Discursive Space**

Jason Roberts, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**Democratizing Divinity: The "Mithras Liturgy" and the Ancient Egyptian  
ph-ntr Oracle in Late Antique Greco-Roman Egypt**

Mark Roblee, Univ. of Massachusetts–Amherst

**A Diverse but Familiar Clientele: Magicians and their Clients in Late Medieval  
Paris**

Brian Forman, Northwestern Univ.

**"Of Counsel to Get It": Nine Men and the Mixindale Treasure**

Frank Klaassen and Sharon Wright, St. Thomas More College

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**A.D. 716: Bede, Wearmouth Jarrow, and Beyond I**

Sponsor: BedeNet

Organizer: Peter Darby, Univ. of Nottingham; Mairin MacCarron, Univ. of  
Sheffield; Paul C. Hilliard, Univ. of St. Mary of the Lake/Mundelein  
Seminary

Presider: Peter Darby

**Bede's Mid-life Crisis: 716 and the Commentary on First Samuel**

Scott DeGregorio, Univ. of Michigan–Dearborn

**A.D. 716: Bede and the Ending of the Easter Controversy in the Insular Church**

Mairin MacCarron

***Domino in Domino Dominorum*: Bede and John of Beverley**

Frederick M. Biggs, Univ. of Connecticut

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**Religion in the Hundred Years War**

Sponsor: International Joan of Arc Society/Société Internationale de l'étude de Jeanne d'Arc  
Organizer: Gail Orgelfinger, Univ. of Maryland–Baltimore County; Jane Marie Pinzino, Earlham College  
Presider: Gail Orgelfinger

**Crisis in the Cities: God, Death, and Taxes in Late Medieval France**

Adam S. Boss, Medieval Academy of America

**Joan of Arc and Colette of Corbie: Expanding Boundaries of Women's Leadership in the Hundred Years War**

Jane Marie Pinzino

**Was Joan of Arc Catholic? Reflections on Religion and the Hundred Years War**

Kelly DeVries, Loyola Univ. Maryland

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**Papers by Undergraduates I**

Organizer: Marcia Smith Marzec, Univ. of St. Francis, Joliet  
Presider: Richard A. Nicholas, Univ. of St. Francis, Joliet

**The Feast of Friendship: Conversions of Desire in the Four Branches of the Mabinogi**

Rebecca D. Fox, Hope College

**Bound to the Sword: Martial Metaphor and Allusions to Crusading Culture in Previously Unpublished Sermons of Stephen Langton**

Andrew X. Fleming, Honors College, Portland State Univ.

**From Grief to Anger among the Chivalric Elite of Florence**

J. Tucker Million, Indiana Univ.–Kokomo

**Tino di Camaino's Tomb of Maria of Hungary**

Molly Hull, Meredith College

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**In Honor of E. Jane Burns I: Gender and Society**

Sponsor: Medieval Foremothers Society  
Organizer: Laine E. Doggett, St. Mary's College of Maryland  
Presider: Daniel O'Sullivan, Univ. of Mississippi

**Unwilling Wives: *Doon*, *Melian*, and *Bisclavret***

Matilda Tomaryn Bruckner, Boston College

**Complicated Couples: Love Stories in *L'Atre périlleux***

Kristin L. Burr, St. Joseph's Univ.

**When the Knight Undresses, His Clothing Speaks: Vestimentary Allegories in the Works of Baudouin de Condé (ca. 1240–1280)**

Sarah-Grace Heller, Ohio State Univ.

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**Warfare and Conflict Landscapes in Britain and Ireland, 1100–1250: New Approaches**

Sponsor: Dept. of Archaeology, National Univ. of Ireland-Galway; Dept. of Archaeology, Univ. of Exeter  
Organizer: Oliver Creighton, Univ. of Exeter  
Presider: Terry Barry, Trinity College, Univ. of Dublin

**Archaeologies of Anarchy? Landscapes of War and Status in Twelfth-Century England**

Oliver Creighton



**Landscape as Protection in Medieval Gaelic Ireland, ca.1100–1600**

Kieran D. O’Conor, National Univ. of Ireland–Galway

**Medieval Welsh Battlescapes: An Archaeological Conflict Landscape Approach to Defining Conflict in Twelfth-Century Wales**

Jacqueline Veninger, Univ. of Exeter

**Material Processes and Making in Medieval Art and Architecture I**

Organizer: Meredith Cohen, Univ. of California–Los Angeles; Kristine Tanton,  
Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

Presider: Kristine Tanton and Meredith Cohen

**Reverse Engineering of the Vaulted Ceilings in the Albrechtsburg at Meissen: Investigations on Design Criteria and the Processes of Planning and Building**

David Wendland, Technische Univ. Dresden

**Making of a New Order: Fourteenth-Century Bohemian Canons**

Alice Klima, Univ. of Georgia

**Six Floors None the Process: Making Mosaic Pavements in Pavia during Middle Ages**

Maddalena Vaccaro, Univ. degli Studi di Salerno

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***Beowulf***

Presider: Megan Arnott, Western Michigan Univ.

**Beowulf’s Bad Memory**

Sam Berstler, Harvard Univ.

**The Legend of Ingeld**

Edward Currie, Cornell Univ.

**Fatherless and Weaponless Monster(s): Defeating Grendel by Mirroring Grendel**

Erin Shaull, Ohio State Univ.

**The Case for Hildeburg: The Peaceweaver, the Heroic Ethos, and the Aesthetics of Failure in *Beowulf***

Wendolyn Weber, Metropolitan State Univ. of Denver

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**Comparing Bilingualism in the Anglo-Saxon and Frankish Worlds I: Literacy and Languages in Charters**

Sponsor: Languages of Early Medieval Charters, Univ. del País Vasco

Organizer: Francesca Tinti, Univ. del País Vasco/Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea

Presider: Andrew Rabin, Univ. of Louisville

**Latin and Vernacular in Early Medieval Charters: From Anglo-Saxon England to Eastern Francia**

Francesca Tinti

**Language Choice in Anglo-Saxon Charters: Production, Use, and Audience**

Robert Gallagher, Univ. del País Vasco/Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea

**Old High German in East Frankish Charters: Pragmatic Literacy or Bilingualism?**

Edward Roberts, Univ. of Liverpool/Univ. del País Vasco/Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea

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**Law and Ideal Justice in Medieval Contexts and Beyond**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)  
Organizer: Toy-Fung Tung, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY  
Presider: Toy-Fung Tung

**Statues, Statutes, and Justice in *The Pilgrimage of the Soul***

Rosemarie McGerr, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Just Don't Moon the Judge: Women, Justice, and Advocacie in Jehan le Fèvre and Christine de Pizan**

Linda Burke, Elmhurst College

**"Tenuto buono e male adoperando": From Trickery to Criminality in *Decameron* 3.6 and 4.2**

Margaret Escher, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

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***The Chaucer Review* at Fifty I: Relationships**

Sponsor: *Chaucer Review*  
Organizer: Susanna Fein, Kent State Univ.; David Raybin, Eastern Illinois Univ.  
Presider: C. David Benson, Univ. of Connecticut

**Erotonomics: The Wife of Bath, Maidstone's *Concordia* and the London Crisis of 1392**

Timothy D. Arner, Grinnell College

**Odd Felawes: Friendship in Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales***

Robert Stretter, Providence College

**Criseyde, Briseida, and the Tears of Things**

Jamie C. Fumo, Florida State Univ.

**"Han ye a figure thanne determinat?": Private Space, the Body, *Entente*, and Confession in the *Friar's Tale***

Gregory Roper, Univ. of Dallas

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**Reformation I: Controversy and Interpretation in the Reformation**

Sponsor: Society for Reformation Research  
Organizer: Maureen Thum, Univ. of Michigan–Flint  
Presider: Rudolph P. Almasy, West Virginia Univ.

**Hans Ungnad, Primus Truber, and the Habsburgs: Generational Change in the Struggle for Reformation**

Benjamin Esswein, Liberty Univ.

**The Role of Princes in Promoting Christianity in Claude Dormay's *Histoire de la ville de Soissons***

Edward Boyden, Nassau Community College

**Gerson's Legacy in England**

Yelena Mazour-Matusevich, Univ. of Alaska–Fairbanks

**The Libellus and Luther on the Mohammedan Threat**

James Kroemer, Concordia Univ. Wisconsin

Respondent: J. Patrick Hornbeck, II, Fordham Univ.

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**In Memory of Larry Syndergaard: The Ballad, Medieval and Modern II (Scandinavian)**

Sponsor: Kommission für Volksdichtung  
Organizer: Sandra Ballif Straubhaar, Univ. of Texas–Austin  
Presider: E. David Gregory, Athabasca Univ.

**The Relationship of Gríppspá to Its Ballad Analogues**

Joseph Harris, Harvard Univ.

**Balladry in Contemporary Faroese Culture: The Faroese Ballad *Ormurin Langi* Reinterpreted**

Annika Christensen, Univ. of Leeds

**“Had I Been a Woman as I Am a Man”: Sex, Politics, and Normative Queerness in England and Scandinavia**

Oren Falk, Cornell Univ.

**The (False) Construct of “Chivalry” and the Brutal Reality of Explicitly Knightly Virtues, 1160–1475**

Sponsor: Seigneurie: Group for the Study of the Nobility, Lordship, and Chivalry

Organizer: D’Arcy Jonathan D. Boulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Jonathan Lyon, Univ. of Chicago

**Why Both the Term and Construct of “Chivalry” Must be Abandoned: A Study of over Forty Proposed Codes and Their Use of *Chevalerie* and Its Cognates, ca. 1160–ca. 1475**

D’Arcy Jonathan D. Boulton

**Docility and Governmental Organization in the Thirteenth Century: How Noble Knights Lost the Ear of the King of France**

Hagar Barak, Independent Scholar

**Defining, Performing, and Questioning: “Chivalry” and Gender in Late Medieval Conduct Literature and the Tournament**

Constanze Buyken, Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris

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Friday 1:30 p.m.

**In Honor of Anne Lake Prescott**

Sponsor: Spenser at Kalamazoo

Organizer: Jennifer Vaught, Univ. of Louisiana–Lafayette; David Scott Wilson-Okamura, East Carolina Univ.; Sean Henry, Univ. of Victoria

Presider: Kirk Warner, Yale Univ.

**Spenserian Parody?**

Judith H. Anderson, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

***Ut Architectura Poesis*: Spenser’s Lyric Practice and the Ruines of France’s Rome**

A. E. B. Coldiron, Florida State Univ.

**Spenser’s Other Elizabeth: Praise and the Problem of Flattery**

Donald Stump, St. Louis Univ.

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**Romance Ecologies II: Alien Terrain**

Sponsor: Medieval Romance Society

Organizer: Fiona Mozley, Univ. of York

Presider: Fiona Mozley

**A Stranger in a Strange Land: The Foreign Hero in Anglo-Norman Romance**

Emily Dolmans, Univ. of Oxford

**Neighborly Ecologies: Non/Human Relationality in Rauf Coilyear**

Emily Houlik-Ritchey, Rice Univ.

**Writing Home: Labor, Narrative, and Landscape in Sir Colling the Knycht and Its Ballad Tradition**

Andrew Richmond, Ohio State Univ.

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### Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century Europe

Presider: G. Matthew Adkins, Columbus State Community College

#### Death in the Margins: Memory and Politics in the Medieval Martyrologies of Burgos

Edward Holt, Saint Louis Univ.

#### Charles of Anjou, Sicily, and “the New Thalassology”: Angevin Administration of Sicily and Imperial Ambitions within the Mediterranean

Samantha Cloud, Saint Louis Univ.

#### The Quest to Best Dante: Petrarch’s Letters to Charles IV

Vanessa DiMaggio, Univ. of Pennsylvania

#### Creating Money: Italian Merchants in France (1250–1350)

Nils Bock, Mahindra Humanities Center, Harvard Univ.

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### Topics in Manuscript Studies

Presider: Mark Burde, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

#### Canon 231 of the *Collectio Sinemuriensis* in Western MS 82

Yanchen Liu, Columbia Univ.

#### A Trilingual Psalter from Norwich Cathedral Priory: Embodying Authority and Community

Brent Burbridge, Univ. of Ottawa

#### Rubrics as Dubious Connectors of Text and Image in Romance Manuscripts

Paul Creamer, East Stroudsburg Univ.

#### The Relationship between Images and Text in Heinrich von Reden’s *Chronicle of Prussia* 1553

Ansgar D. Holtmann, Freie Univ. Berlin

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### Women and the Manuscript

Sponsor: *Magistra: A Journal of Women’s Spirituality in History*

Organizer: Judith Sutura, OSB, Magistra Publications

Presider: Judith Sutura, OSB

#### Women Reading Women: Catherine of Siena in English Manuscripts

Jennifer N. Brown, Marymount Manhattan College

#### Tertiaries, the First Order, and Franciscan Identity in Fifteenth-Century Piacenza

M. Christina Bruno, Fordham Univ.

#### The Manuscript of Marie Jeanne Weckerlin, OSB: A Nineteenth-Century Hand-Lettered and Illustrated Collection of Saints’ Lives

Virginia Blanton, Univ. of Missouri–Kansas City, and Melissa Morris, Univ. of Missouri–Kansas City

#### Akka Mahadevi: Shiva’s Bride to Feminist Saint

Mary Ellen Rowe, Univ. of Central Missouri

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### Elemental Approaches I: Earth

Sponsor: Environmental History Network for the Middle Ages (ENFORMA)

Organizer: Ellen F. Arnold, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.

Presider: Ellen F. Arnold

#### *Sunt altera nogis sidera, sunt orbes alii*: Imagining Subterranean Peoples in the Middle Ages

Scott Bruce, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**Earth, Image, and Material Networks at Qal’at Sem’an**

Laura Veneskey, Wake Forest Univ.

**War and Natural Resources: Military Aspects of Forest Administration in Late Medieval Normandy (1380–1415)**

Danny Lake-Giguère, Univ. de Montréal/Univ. de Rouen

**Medieval Landscapes of Disease**

Organizer: Michelle Ziegler, St. Louis Univ.

Presider: Lori Jones, Univ. of Ottawa

**Ancient DNA as an Instrument to Uncover Disease-scape in Antiquity**

Ana Duggan, McMaster Univ.; Katherine Eaton, McMaster Univ.; Jennifer Klunk, McMaster Univ.; Stephanie Marciniak, McMaster Univ.; and Hendrik Poinar, McMaster Univ.

**Malarial Landscapes in the Late Antique Tiber Valley**

Michelle Ziegler

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**Research Resources in Paris: The A.N., B.N., and Beyond (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Medieval Society, Paris

Organizer: Sarah Ann Long, Michigan State Univ.

Presider: Sarah Ann Long

A roundtable discussion with Mary Franklin-Brown, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities; Lindsey Hansen, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington; Katherine Baker, Broward College; and Stephen J. Molvarec, SJ, Loyola Univ. Chicago.

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**How We Read II: Medieval Scholarship, Translation, Historiography**

Sponsor: Medieval Academy of America

Organizer: Jane Chance, Rice Univ.

Presider: Joe Ricke, Taylor Univ.

**Ottonian Women Reading Male Scholars: The Example of Hrotsvit of Gandersheim**

Helene Scheck, Univ. at Albany

***Mulier Fortis, Femina Bellipotens*: Matilda of Tuscany and Ranger of Lucca’s Commentary on Proverbs 31:10–31**

Valerie Eads, School of Visual Arts

**At Which You Shudder: Revenants and Horror in William of Newburgh**

Kristen Herdman, Case Western Reserve Univ.

**Rewriting Boethius: Boethian Forgery and Forging Boethius**

Brooke Hunter, Villanova Univ.

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**“Things” in Medieval Literature**

Organizer: Holley Ledbetter, Western Michigan Univ.

Presider: Maggie Heeschen, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ.

**You Have Nothing to Lose but Your Chains (and Everything to Gain but Your Feathers): Golden Chains and Bodily Limits in the Old French Crusade Cycle**

Melissa Berrill, Univ. of Cambridge

**The Stuff of the Border in the Middle English *Sir Degrevant***

Dominique Battles, Hanover College

**The Torc and the Text: Ambiguity in *Beowulf***

Brandon Spun, New College Franklin

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**Christian Muslim Contacts on the Fringes of the Mediterranean**

Sponsor: Texas Medieval Association (TEMA)  
Organizer: Yasmine Beale-Rivaya, Texas State Univ.–San Marcos  
Presider: Donald J. Kagay, Albany State Univ.

**The Christian-Muslim Organization of the Toledo Frontier**

Theresa M. Vann, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**Treacherous Words, Forbidden Love: Segovia between the Spanish Qur'an and El Cid's Sword**

Alexander J. McNair, Baylor Univ.

**Christian-Muslim Trade along the Andalusí Frontier**

Yasmine Beale-Rivaya

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**New Research in Germanic Medieval Studies II: Words and Transmission**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Germanic Studies (SMGS)  
Organizer: Marian Elizabeth Polhill, Univ. of Puerto Rico–Recinto de Río Piedras; Jeffrey Turco, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Marian Elizabeth Polhill

***Gegenrede im gar gebrach*: Lacunae in MHG Phraseology and Figurative Language**

Adam Oberlin, Atlanta International School

**What Is a Dragon? Mythological and Legendary Reptilian Taxonomy**

Russell Stepp, Cornell Univ.

**German Medieval Literature's Unseen Species Problem**

Jonathan Green, Auburn Univ.

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**Play (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval and Early Modern Studies Institute (MEMSI), George Washington Univ.  
Organizer: Jeffrey Jerome Cohen, George Washington Univ.  
Presider: Jeffrey Jerome Cohen

**Playing with Style in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Eric Weiskott, Boston College

**Play / Time**

Julian Yates, Univ. of Delaware

**Orm Plays on Twitter**

Carla María Thomas, New York Univ.

**Play Ball!**

Steve Mentz, St. John's Univ., New York

**DisPlay of the Medieval Artefact**

Elaine M. Treharne, Stanford Univ.

**Interplay**

Allan Mitchell, Univ. of Victoria

**(Re)configuring the Parish in Late Medieval England**

Sponsor: Centre for the Study of the Middle Ages (CeSMA), Univ. of Birmingham  
 Organizer: Robert N. Swanson, Univ. of Birmingham  
 Presider: Miriam Müller, Univ. of Birmingham

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**Managing Change: Reconfiguring Parochial Relationships at Alberbury (Shropshire), ca.1400–1530**

Robert N. Swanson

**Allhallows London Wall, 1455–1536: A History of Collaboration in Parish Decision Making**

Gary G. Gibbs, Roanoke College

**Chapel on the Bridge: The Social and Communal Significance of the Late Medieval London-Bridge House**

Emmamarie Haasl, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**The Secular Clergy and Education**

Sponsor: Episcopos: Society for the Study of Bishops and Secular Clergy in the Middle Ages  
 Organizer: William H. Campbell, Univ. of Pittsburgh–Greensburg  
 Presider: Michael Burger, Auburn Univ.–Montgomery

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**The Education of the Parish Clergy in Thirteenth-Century England**

William H. Campbell

**Secular Clergy and Pastoral Care at the University of Paris**

Stephen M. Metzger, Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies

**University Attendance among the Late Medieval Parish Clergy: A Case Study from the Diocese of Eichstätt**

Matt Wranovix, Univ. of New Haven

**Post-War Scholarship and the Study of the Middle Ages I: Huizinga**

Sponsor: Program in Medieval Studies, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
 Organizer: Frederic Dulson, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Christopher Hench, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Maureen C. Miller, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
 Presider: Frederic Dulson

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**Figural Realism: Auerbach versus Huizinga?**

Jane O. Newman, Univ. of California–Irvine

**Meaning and the Middle Ages: Medieval and Modern History in Huizinga and Auerbach**

Peter Cibula, Univ. of California–Irvine

**Huizinga and the Staging of the Fifteenth Century**

Lukas Ovrom, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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**Origins and Practices of Religious Houses in Brittany, Normandy, and Anjou**

Sponsor: Ancient Abbeys of Brittany Project  
Organizer: Claude L. Evans, Univ. of Toronto–Mississauga  
Presider: K. Paul Evans, York Univ.

**Les établissements réguliers urbains, centres de pèlerinage: L'exemple rouennais (XIIe–XVe siècle)**

Catherine Vincent, Univ. Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense

**Architecture et fonctions des édifices de réception et d'hébergement en Normandie (XIIe–XIVe siècle): Nouvelles hypothèses**

Mathilde Gardeux, Univ. Lumière Lyon 2

**Solidarités de salut et pratiques liturgiques dans les abbayes de l'ouest (Xe–XIVe siècle)**

Esther Dehoux, Univ. de Lille III

**La réforme grégorienne et les chanoines réguliers dans l'ouest de la France**

Cédric Jeanneau, Univ. de Bretagne Occidentale

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**Medievalism and Labor (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: International Society for the Study of Medievalism  
Organizer: Amy S. Kaufman, Middle Tennessee State Univ.  
Presider: Amy S. Kaufman

**Adjunct Serfs in a Feudal Academy?**

Michael R. Evans, Delta College

**Life in Another Castle: Medieval Studies and Game Design**

Serina Patterson, Univ. of British Columbia

**King's Scab: Economic Chivalry and Immaterial Labor in the Age of the Sharing Economy**

Brent Addison Moberly, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington, and Kevin A. Moberly, Old Dominion Univ.

**Should I Put This on My C.V.? Medievalism and Academic Labor in Graduate School**

Usha Vishnuvajjala, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Contractions and Expulsions of the Retro-medieval toward the Female Body**

Carol L. Robinson, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull

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Upjohn  
Center

**The State of the Art in Multispectral Imaging (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Lazarus Project  
Organizer: Gregory Heyworth, Univ. of Mississippi  
Presider: Gregory Heyworth

A hands-on demonstration of the multispectral recovery of damaged manuscripts. Participants will be introduced to the technology of multispectral imaging, techniques for capture and material handling, as well as to relevant topics in optics and imaging science. Advanced registration is required ([heyworth@olemiss.edu](mailto:heyworth@olemiss.edu)). Participants who would like to have imaged a particular manuscript or fragment that they have brought with them will need to make prior arrangements with the organizers.

—End of 1:30 p.m. Sessions—

3:00–4:00 p.m.

**COFFEE SERVICE**

Valley III, Bernhard,  
and Fetzer



**Friday, May 13**  
**3:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m.**  
**Sessions 278–330**

**The Culture of Port Cities in the Fourteenth Century**

Sponsor: 14th Century Society  
 Organizer: William Chester Jordan, Princeton Univ.  
 Presider: Marie D’Aguanno Ito, Georgetown Univ.

**Ports and Prostitutes: Rethinking the Margins**

Susan McDonough, Univ. of Maryland–Baltimore County

**Wissant: The Forgotten Port**

William Chester Jordan

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**Romance Ecologies III: Decay**

Sponsor: Medieval Romance Society  
 Organizer: Fiona Mozley, Univ. of York  
 Presider: Emily Houlik-Ritchey, Rice Univ.

**Refusing Decay: Romance and Temporal Hybridity**

Hannah Christensen, Univ. of Chicago

**Stag/Not-Stag: The Animal and the (Male) Witch’s Body**

Diane Purkiss, Univ. of Oxford

**Decay and Desolation in *The Siege of Jerusalem***

Fiona Mozley

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 Valley III  
 Stinson  
 Lounge

**Hagiography in Anglo-Saxon England**

Presider: Erin C. O’Brien, Independent Scholar

**The Topography of Conversion: Sanctifying Natural Spaces in the Anglo-Saxon Imagination**

Maj-Britt Frenze, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Healing, Solitude, and Community in the Anglo-Saxon Prose *Life of Saint Guthlac***

Nicole Songstad, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Cuthbert and the Gospel of Matthew: Biblical Influences in the Anonymous *Life of Saint Cuthbert***

Elizabeth M. G. Krajewski, Univ. of Wales Trinity St. David

**The Making of a Local Saint: Guthlac and the Fens**

Justin Park, Yale Univ.

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 LeFevre  
 Lounge

**The Secret Lives of Proverbs: Considering the Intersection of Sentential Material and Meta-Sentential Contexts (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: Early Proverb Society (EPS)  
 Organizer: Karl Arthur Erik Persson, Signum Univ.  
 Presider: Karl Arthur Erik Persson

A panel discussion with Tristan Sharp, Newman Theological College; Rolf H. Bremmer, Jr., Univ. Leiden; Thomas D. Hill, Cornell Univ. (“An Old English Sapiential Analogue to *Njals Saga*”); Tiffany Beechy, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder; Curtis Gruenler, Hope College; and Daniel Anlezark, Univ. of Sydney.

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**Abelard and Heloise: In Memory of Steven Cartwright**

Sponsor: Societas Petri Abaelardi  
Organizer: Deborah Fraioli, Simmons College  
Presider: Larry J. Swain, Bemidji State Univ.

**A Rancorous Debate: Moore versus Moncrieff on the Letters of Abelard and Heloise**

Deborah Fraioli

**Abelard's Hidden Hermeneutic: John's Teaching-Source and Foundation of the Question of Redemption**

Eileen Kearney, St. Xavier Univ.

**Two Views on the Equality of Man and Woman: A Comparison of Peter Abelard and Rupert of Deutz on the Creation of Eve**

Wanda Zemler-Cizewski, Marquette Univ.

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**Unhappy Families: Literary Inheritance in the Fifteenth Century (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medievalists@Penn  
Organizer: Sarah W. Townsend, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Daniel Davies, Univ. of Pennsylvania  
Presider: Daniel Davies

**Hoccleve's "Fadir" and Chaucer's "Stace"**

Elizaveta Strakhov, Marquette Univ.

**Father Aesop, Neighbor Chaucer: Henryson's *Testament of Cresseid* and (Inter)national Literary Inheritance**

Marian Homans-Turnbull, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Loop the Noose: The Oedipal Judas in Late Medieval Drama**

Mariah Min, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Writing Mothers and Reading Daughters: Christine de Pizan and Jacquetta of Luxembourg**

Sarah W. Townsend

**Critical Mothers: Christine versus Margery**

Stephanie Downes, Univ. of Melbourne

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**The Abbey of Saint-Victor: Theology in *Summae*, Sequences, and Sermons**

Organizer: Grover A. Zinn, Jr., Oberlin College  
Presider: Grover A. Zinn, Jr.

**The Mutation of Hugh of Saint-Victor's *On the Sacraments* and the Nascence of Peter Lombard's *Sentences***

Robert J. Porwoll, Univ. of Chicago

**Human Love an Echo of the Divine: Adam of Saint-Victor on Christian Love**

Juliet Mousseau, RSCJ, Aquinas Institute of Theology

**A Most Useful Spirit: "Utilitas" as a Pneumatological Attribute in the Theology of Achard of Saint-Victor**

Nicole Reibe, Boston College

### Thomas Aquinas III

Sponsor: Thomas Aquinas Society  
Organizer: John F. Boyle, Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota  
Presider: Robert J. Barry, Providence College

#### **Saint Thomas's Understanding of the Role of Christ in the Moral Life**

Jeffrey Froula, Ave Maria Univ.

#### **Three Kinds of Opposition of Good and Evil in *De malo***

Jordan M. Blank, Catholic Univ. of America

#### **Eye Has Not Seen: Aquinas's Use of 1 Corinthians 2:9 in Relation to Nature and Grace**

Daniel M. Garland, Jr., Christendom College

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### **Hermaphrodites: Genitalia, Gender, and Being Human in the Middle Ages (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: *postmedieval: a journal of medieval cultural studies*  
Organizer: Ruth Evans, St. Louis Univ.; Eileen A. Joy, BABEL Working Group  
Presider: Eileen A. Joy

#### **Hermaphroditism and Liberation**

David Rollo, Univ. of Southern California

#### **Sex and Genre: Disorienting the Place of Hermaphrodites in Pilgrimage Narratives**

M. W. Bychowski, George Washington Univ.

#### **Talking Back: Sodomy Laws and Intersex Subjectivity in Medieval Venice**

Alexander Baldassano, Graduate Center, CUNY

#### **The Hermaphroditic Soul in Medieval Art**

Sherry C. M. Lindquist, Western Illinois Univ.

#### **"Wikked Wyves" and the "Secrets of Women": The Wife of Bath's Hermaphroditism**

Wendy Marie Hoofnagle, Univ. of Northern Iowa

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### **Reflecting on the Early Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of York  
Organizer: Craig Taylor, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of York  
Presider: Craig Taylor

#### **The Social Study of Merovingian Cemeteries**

Edward James, Univ. College Dublin

#### **Gender in Merovingian Cemeteries**

Guy Halsall, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of York

Response: Valerie L. Garver, Northern Illinois Univ.

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### **Cistercians on Bernard of Clairvaux**

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: E. Rozanne Elder, Western Michigan Univ.

### **Memorializing Bernard: Three Authorial Perspectives in the *Vita prima sancti Bernardi***

Marsha L. Dutton, Ohio Univ.

### **Bernard's Liturgical Sermons as Sources for His Person**

Brian Patrick McGuire, Independent Scholar

### **Walls of Knowledge, Love, and Fear in the Topology of Bernard of Clairvaux**

Jason R. Crow, Louisiana State Univ.

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### **What Do We Mean by Devotion?**

Sponsor: Lollard Society  
Organizer: Mary Raschko, Whitman College; Robyn Malo, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Mary Raschko

### **Devotion: Medieval and Modern**

Michelle Karnes, Stanford Univ.

### **Translating the *Myroure* "More Openly": Devotional Reading and Wycliffite Hermeneutics at Syon Abbey**

Michelle Ripplinger, Univ. of California–Berkeley

### **Devotion and "The Literary"**

Jessica Brantley, Yale Univ.

Respondent: Nicholas Watson, Harvard Univ.

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### **Hiberno-Latin Studies**

Organizer: Shannon O. Ambrose, St. Xavier Univ.  
Presider: Helen Foxhall Forbes, Durham Univ.

### **How Irish Are These Symptoms? The Irish "Lambeth Commentary" and "Wendepunkte" Exegesis on the Sermon on the Mount**

Tomás O'Sullivan, St. Louis Univ.

### **"To Live by Our Own Laws": Columbanus on the Legal Status of the Irish Church**

Kristen Carella, Assumption College

### ***Laidin na nGael*: Translating the *Navigatio sancti Brendani* into Modern Irish**

Brian Ó Broin, William Paterson Univ.

### **Hiberno-Latin Visionary Texts and the Twelfth-Century German Reform Movement: A Study of Chicago, Newberry Library, Case MS 6**

Shannon O. Ambrose

**Betwixt and Between: The Effect of Cultural Transition in the Late Medieval and Early Modern Iberian Peninsula**

Sponsor: Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies; North American Catalan Society

Organizer: Laura Delbrugge, Indiana Univ. of Pennsylvania

Presider: John August Bollweg, College of DuPage

**Prescribing Behavior through Describing Life Stages: Between Science and Rhetoric in Alfonso X's *Setenario***

Robey Clark Patrick, Ohio State Univ.

**Consoling the Princess of Portugal: Reputation, Patronage, and Transition in Late Medieval Iberia**

Núria Silleras-Fernández, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**When Good Books Go Bad: The Gamaliel's Journey from Popular Devotional to the *Index librorum prohibitorum***

Laura Delbrugge

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**New Perspectives on Medieval Rome II**

Sponsor: Italian Art Society

Organizer: Alison Locke Perchuk, California State Univ.–Channel Islands;  
Marius B. Hauknes, Johns Hopkins Univ.

Presider: Marius B. Hauknes

**Female Patronage in Rome in the Eleventh Century**

Giuseppa Zanichelli, Univ. degli Studi di Salerno

**Female Religious Patronage in Late Medieval Rome ca. 1200–1400**

Angelica Federici, Univ. of Cambridge

**Papal Gifting in the Late Thirteenth Century: Actors, Objects, Functions**

Christiane Elster, Bibliotheca Hertziana

**Art Historical Experience in Medieval Rome**

Erik Inglis, Oberlin College

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**Byrhtferth of Ramsey (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies, Indiana Univ.–Purdue Univ.–Fort Wayne

Organizer: Damian Fleming, Indiana Univ.–Purdue Univ.–Fort Wayne

Presider: Damian Fleming

**Byrhtferth and the Language of Computus**

Anthony Harris, Univ. of Cambridge

**The *Civitates* in Byrhtferth of Ramsey's Mind: Word Use and the Paradigms of Heaven and Hell on Earth**

Melanie C. Maddox, The Citadel

**Byrhtferth and Late Anglo-Saxon Encyclopedism**

Paul Vinhage, Cornell Univ.

**Time Dinumerated: The Role of Pictures in Byrhtferth's *Enchiridion***

Megan C. McNamee, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

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**Virtuous Violence: The Persistence of the Warrior Tradition in the Effective Value Systems of Crusaders and Noblemen to 1500**

Sponsor: Seigneurie: Group for the Study of the Nobility, Lordship, and Chivalry

Organizer: D'Arcy Jonathan D. Boulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: D'Arcy Jonathan D. Boulton

**Not Cruelty but Piety? Assessing European Crusader Violence**

Susanna A. Throop, Ursinus College

**"Chivalric" Identity in Exile: Warfare, Honor, Violence, and the Florentine *Fuorusciti* in Thirteenth-Century Italy**

Peter W. Sposato, Indiana Univ.–Kokomo

**"I will be dead or revenged on those Moors": Personal and Corporate Honor and Vengeance in the Fifteenth-Century Castilian Reconquista**

Samuel A. Claussen, California Lutheran Univ.

**The Persistence of the Warrior Tradition in the Last Years of the Middle Ages:**

**The Example of the Pas d'Armes in Burgundy under Duke Charles the Bold**

Guillaume Bureaux, Univ. de Rouen/Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris

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**Medieval Studies and Medievalism, Past and Present**

Organizer: Christina M. Heckman, Augusta Univ.

Presider: Christina M. Heckman

**Gower among the Protestants: A Medieval Poet, Post-reform**

R. F. Yeager, Univ. of West Florida

**Church History and the Sound of Words in N. S. F. Grundtvig's *Brunanburh* and Phoenix Ballads**

Robert E. Bjork, Arizona State Univ.

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**Symbolic Language as the Key to Understanding the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Texas Medieval Association (TEMA)

Organizer: Paul E. Chevedden, Independent Scholar

Presider: Donald J. Kagay, Albany State Univ.

**The Symbolic Language of the Crusades**

Paul E. Chevedden

**Constructions of the Past, Time, and Identity in Medieval English Prologues**

Lane J. Sobehrad, Texas Tech Univ.

**Flags in the Culture of Early Seventeenth-Century Mercenary Soldiers**

Lucia Staiano-Daniels, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

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**Epidemic Diseases in the Middle Ages: Twenty-First-Century Understandings**

Sponsor: Medica: The Society for the Study of Healing in the Middle Ages

Organizer: William H. York, Portland State Univ.

Presider: Monica H. Green, Arizona State Univ.

**Plague Diffusion within and out of Europe's Uplands**

Ann G. Carmichael, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Is That Plague Image Really an Image of the Plague? Tackling the Digital Disconnect between Medieval Witnesses and Twenty-First-Century Understandings of Epidemic Diseases in the Middle Ages**

Lori Jones, Univ. of Ottawa

**The Rise and Fall of a Historical Plague Focus: The Case of Ottoman Anatolia**

Nukhet Varlik, Rutgers Univ.–Newark

**Anglo-Norman Texts and Manuscripts**

Sponsor: Anglo-Norman Text Society

Organizer: Maureen B. M. Boulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Laurie Postlewaite, Barnard College

**Memory and the Making of Royal Genealogies in Fourteenth-Century England**

Brittany Rancour, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**New Light on the Patrons of Geffrei Gaimar**

David W. Burchmore, Independent Scholar

**A Darker Shade of Black: Painting King John's Injustices with a Broader**

**Brush for Posterity in *Fouke le Fitz Waryn***

Catherine A. Rock, Stark State College

**Marie de France: A Case Study of Cultural Shift and Literary Motherhood**

Kimberly Tate Anderson, Florida State Univ.

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**Scale II: Macrospaces**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of Place and Space (MAPS)

Organizer: Kathy Lavezzo, Univ. of Iowa

Presider: Catherine Annette Grisé, McMaster Univ.

**The Place of Maps**

Marcia Kupfer, Independent Scholar

**The Boundaries of Belief: Geography and Theology in the *Navigatio sancti Brendani***

Seth Hunter Koproski, Cornell Univ.

**Distant Romance: Making Macrospace through Narrative**

Paul A. Broyles, Univ. of Virginia

**Mapping Micro-Languages in Central Asia**

Karla Mallette, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

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**A.D. 716: Bede, Wearmouth Jarrow, and Beyond II**

Sponsor: BedeNet

Organizer: Peter Darby, Univ. of Nottingham; Mairin MacCarron, Univ. of Sheffield;

Paul C. Hilliard, Univ. of St. Mary of the Lake/Mundelein Seminary

Presider: Sharon M. Rowley, Christopher Newport Univ.

**The Impact of 716 on the Community of Wearmouth-Jarrow**

Paul C. Hilliard

**“In the Year of our Lord 716”: Bede's Rhetorical Use of Dating Formulas in the *Ecclesiastical History***

Richard Shaw, Our Lady Seat of Wisdom

**“A Book Written Within and Without”: Considering the Institutional, Eschatological, and Symbolic Significances of the Codex Amiatinus**

Meg Boulton, Univ. of York

**The City of God in Bede's Commentary On Samuel**

John P. Bequette, Univ. of St. Francis, Fort Wayne

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**What Can the Lilly Library Do for You? Current and Future Medieval Projects at the Lilly Library (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Institute, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington  
Organizer: Emerson Storm Fillman Richards, Lilly Library, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington  
Presider: Emerson Storm Fillman Richards

**Lilly Library “Martinellus”: Poole 27**

Joseph Morgan, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Lilly Library MS Poole 22**

Katie Lyn Peebles, Marymount Univ.

***A Testimonie of Antiquitie: The Birth of Anglo-Saxon Type Font in Early Modern England.***

Kristin Browning Leaman, Lilly Library, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington/Purdue Univ.

**What Can the Lilly Library Do for You? Current and Future Medieval Projects at the Lilly Library**

Cherry Williams, Lilly Library, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

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**Papers by Undergraduates II**

Organizer: Marcia Smith Marzec, Univ. of St. Francis, Joliet  
Presider: Richard A. Nicholas, Univ. of St. Francis, Joliet

**The Last Duke: Richard II, Henry of Monmouth, and the Duchy of Lancaster**

Taylor Kniphfer, Baylor Univ.

**The Historical Sources Involved in Richard II’s Evolution throughout Shakespeare’s *Henriad* and Beyond**

A. D. Vernier, Northern Michigan Univ.

**Re-interpreting the Medieval: Politics and Religion in Shakespeare’s and Colley Cibber’s Depictions of Richard III**

Gretchen Geer, Univ. of Minnesota–Duluth

**The Concept of Political Body in Fr. Suárez’s Anti-absolutist Thought**

Alexandra Anokhina, Higher School of Economics, National Research Univ.

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**In Honor of E. Jane Burns II: Feminists and Feminisms in the Academy (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval Foremothers Society  
Organizer: Laine E. Doggett, St. Mary’s College of Maryland  
Presider: Laine E. Doggett

**Other Bodies, Other Rooms: Moving Forward with Feminism in Medieval French Studies**

Roberta L. Krueger, Hamilton College

**Feminism, Gender Studies, and Medieval Art Historians**

Madeline H. Caviness, Tufts Univ.

**How Problematic Is the Term *Woman* in the Study of the Past?**

Elizabeth Robertson, Univ. of Glasgow

**Reconstructing Medieval Women’s Libraries: Obstacles and Achievements**

Cynthia J. Brown, Univ. of California–Santa Barbara

**Feminists Medievalists in the Classroom and the Tower: Teaching and Administration as Feminist Work**

Lisa Perfetti, Whitman College



**Magic on the Page: Transmission and Representation of Magic**

Sponsor: Research Group on Manuscript Evidence; Societas Magica  
 Organizer: László Sándor Chardonens, Radboud Univ. Nijmegen  
 Presider: Mildred Budny, Research Group on Manuscript Evidence

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**Stars in the Hand: The Infusion of Astrology in Chiromancy**

Samuel Gillis Hogan, Univ. of Saskatchewan

**Magical Reconfigurations in Ganell's *Summa* in the Kassel Manuscript**

Jan R. Veenstra, Independent Scholar

**Retrofitting Early Modern Magical Manuscripts**

László Sándor Chardonens

**Material Processes and Making in Medieval Art and Architecture II**

Organizer: Meredith Cohen, Univ. of California–Los Angeles; Kristine Tanton,  
 Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of California–Los  
 Angeles  
 Presider: Kristine Tanton and Meredith Cohen

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**The Construction of the Color in Books of Hours from the Fifteenth Century**

Rita Araújo, Univ. Nova de Lisboa, and Ana Lemos, Univ. Nova de Lisboa

**Did Sculptors Draw? Reproductive Means, Projectual and “Cognitive” Tools in Italian Sculptural Workshops around Giotto's Time**

Luca Palozzi, Univ. of Edinburgh

**Gilding Is Silly: Illuminators' Complaints in the *Fleur des histoires***

Nicholas A. Herman, Univ. de Montréal

**Sculptural Technique and the Kinetics of Viewing at the Portal of the Last Judgment at Reims Cathedral**

Lukas Huppertz, Technische Univ. Berlin

**Mission and Crusade in the Life and Works of Ramon Llull (1232–1316): Papers in Honor of the Seven-Hundredth Anniversary of His Death**

Organizer: Michael J. Sanders, Fordham Univ.  
 Presider: Larry J. Simon, Western Michigan Univ.

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**Finding Common Ground: Llull's Use of the Ten Commandments in the *Disputatio Raymundi Christiani et Hamar Saraceni***

Patrick Harris, Western Michigan Univ.

**The Dilemma of Force and Persuasion in Llull's *Llibre contra Anticrist/Liber contra Antichristum***

Pamela Beattie, Univ. of Louisville

Respondents: Amy M. Austin, Univ. of Texas–Arlington, and Mark D. Johnston,  
 DePaul Univ.

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**Comparing Bilingualism in the Anglo-Saxon and Frankish Worlds II: The Languages of Anglo-Saxon Poetry and Historiography**

Sponsor: Languages of Early Medieval Charters, Univ. del País Vasco  
Organizer: Francesca Tinti, Univ. del País Vasco/Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea  
Presider: Francesca Tinti

**Ghosts of Latin in the Vernacular: Bilingualism and the Meter of *The Riming Poem***

Rachel Hanks, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Anthologizing across Linguistic Divides: The Exeter Book and Cambridge GG 5.35**

Audrey Walton, Univ. of Toronto

**Translating the Anglo-Saxon Chronicles into Latin: Asser and Aethelweard**

Courtney Konshuh, Univ. of Winchester

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**Medieval Pilgrimage: Gender, Geography, and Transformation**

Sponsor: Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York  
Organizer: Dee Dyas, Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York  
Presider: Louise Hampson, Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York

**New Materialism, Vibrant Objects, and Pilgrimage Poetics**

Susan Signe Morrison, Texas State Univ.–San Marcos

**Finding the Narrator: Experience, Curiosity, and Pilgrimage Poetics**

Suzanne M. Yeager, Fordham Univ.

**Being a Pilgrim: Shrines, the Senses, and the Power of Place**

Dee Dyas

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***The Chaucer Review* at Fifty II: Seeing and Interpreting**

Sponsor: *Chaucer Review*  
Organizer: Susanna Fein, Kent State Univ.; David Raybin, Eastern Illinois Univ.  
Presider: David Raybin

**From “Allas!” to “A!”: Palamon’s First Glimpse, as Interpreted in Print (ca. 1500 – ca. 2000), Pictures (ca. 1800), and Performance (ca. 1600)**

Betsy Bowden, Rutgers Univ.–Camden

**Nicole Oresme and Chaucer’s *Merchant’s Tale***

John Block Friedman, Ohio State Univ.

**Reading Badly: What the *Physician’s Tale* Isn’t Telling Us**

Thomas A. Prendergast, College of Wooster

**Epistemology of Dreams in *Troilus and Criseyde***

Clara Wild, Yale Univ.

## Reformation II: Historical, Political, Personal Conflict in the Long Reformation

Sponsor: Society for Reformation Research  
 Organizer: Maureen Thum, Univ. of Michigan–Flint  
 Presider: James Kroemer, Concordia Univ. Wisconsin

### **The Seven Deadly Sins in *Piers Plowman* and *The Faerie Queene*: From Confession to the Reformation**

Joshua Held, Trinity International Univ.

### **The Politics of Knox's 1554 *Faithful Admonition to the professors of Gods truthe in England*: John Knox in King Edward's Court**

Rudolph P. Almasy, West Virginia Univ.

### **The Conversion of the Cardinal? Pride and Penitence in Some Tudor Histories of Thomas Wolsey**

J. Patrick Hornbeck, II, Fordham Univ.

### **Spycraft and the Restoration Stage: The Work and Works of Christopher Marlowe and Anthony Munday**

Kristin M. S. Bezio, Univ. of Richmond

Respondent: Benjamin Esswein, Liberty Univ.

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## Topics in Medieval Numismatics

Sponsor: Numismatists at Kalamazoo  
 Organizer: David W. Sorenson, Allen G. Berman, Numismatist  
 Presider: Allen G. Berman, Allen G. Berman, Numismatist

### **The FLAME (Framing the Late Antique and Early Medieval Economy) Project: From Solidus to Software**

Lee Mordechai, Princeton Univ.

### **Money Never Sleeps: A Transformation in Southern Gaul's Coinage?**

Merle Eisenberg, Princeton Univ.

### **All that Glitters . . . : Silver Coinage in the Early Middle Ages**

Alan M. Stahl, Princeton Univ.

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## **“Antitheta quae sententiae pulchritudinem faciunt” (Isidore): Contrasts in Medieval Texts and Images**

Sponsor: Dept. of Medieval Studies, Central European Univ.  
 Organizer: Gerhard Jaritz, Central European Univ.  
 Presider: Gerhard Jaritz

### **“Imagines in Ecclesiis”: Bonaventure's Defense of Sculpture in Thirteenth-Century France**

Brandon L. Cook, Univ. of Notre Dame

### **“Sub Una, Sub Utraque”: Contrasting Visions of Religious Communities in Post-Hussite Bohemia**

Katerina Hornickova, Univ. Wien

### **Negotiating Female Chastity: Self-Fashioning In Late Medieval German Cosmographies**

Irina Savinetskaya, Independent Scholar

### **Contrasting Images from the Edges of the World: Eastern European Lands in the Fifteenth to the First Half of the Sixteenth Century**

Alena Kliuchnik, Central European Univ.

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**Premodern Rulers and Postmodern Viewers: Gender and Sex in Medieval Film and Television**

Sponsor: *Royal Studies Journal*  
Organizer: Janice North, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville  
Presider: Janice North

**Melusine, Magic, and Maternal Blood in *The White Queen***

Misty Urban, Muscatine Community College

**“Men go to battle, women wage war”: Gender Politics in *The White Queen* (2013)**

Kavita Mudan Finn, Independent Scholar

**A New Isabel for the Twenty-First Century**

Emily S. Beck, College of Charleston

**Queering Isabella: The “She-Wolf of France” in Film and Television**

Michael R. Evans, Delta College

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**The Kathleen Williams Lecture**

Sponsor: Spenser at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Rachel E. Hile, Indiana Univ.–Purdue Univ.–Fort Wayne; Susannah Brietz Monta, Univ. of Notre Dame; Jennifer Vaught, Univ. of Louisiana–Lafayette  
Presider: Linda Gregerson, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Spenser’s Allegory**

Gordon Teskey, Harvard Univ.

Closing Remarks: William A. Oram, Smith College

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**Technical Communication in the Middle Ages**

Organizer: M. Wendy Hennequin, Tennessee State Univ.  
Presider: M. Wendy Hennequin

**Teaching Mental Arithmetic in Fifteenth-Century Middle English Arithmetical Treatises**

Christine F. Cooper-Rompato, Utah State Univ.

**Geoffrey Chaucer’s *Treatise on the Astrolabe*: Technical or What?**

Jenna Mead, Eberhard Karls Univ. Tübingen

**The Fault in Their Stars: Heterodoxy and Astronomy in Filastrius of Brescia’s *Book of Diverse Heresies***

David Maldonado-Rivera, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**As Much Written as Drawn: “Reading” Medieval Maps**

Mary Frances Zambreno, Elmhurst College

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**Archaeology and Experiment: Moving beyond the Artifacts**

Sponsor: Dark Ages Recreation Company  
Organizer: Neil Peterson, Wilfrid Laurier Univ.  
Presider: Neil Peterson

**Reconstituting an Icelandic Bloomery Iron Furnace**

Darrell Markewitz, Wareham Forge

**Experiments into Hardening Processes for Leather Armor**

Mila Little, Dark Ages Recreation Company

**Mending Medieval Manuscripts: The Tools and Techniques of Embroidered Parchment Repairs**

Lara Howerton, Univ. of Toronto

## Elemental Approaches II: Fire

Sponsor: Environmental History Network for the Middle Ages (ENFORMA)  
Organizer: Ellen F. Arnold, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.  
Presider: Kathryn E. Salzer, Pennsylvania State Univ.

### **“Through These Fields of Destruction, Baptisms of Fire”: Warfare and Landscape Destruction by Fire in Fourteenth-Century British Isles**

Philip Slavin, Univ. of Kent

### ***Mysticum Dei judicium: Fire in the Hands of Humans and Mind of God in Guibert of Nogent’s Monodiae***

Kristin L. Doll, Northwestern Univ.

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### **Fighting Fire: Urban Health and Fires Safety in the Medieval Low Countries**

Janna Coomans, Univ. van Amsterdam

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## Early English Bits and Pieces

Sponsor: Manuscript Technologies Forum Interest Group, The English Association  
Organizer: Elaine M. Treharne, Stanford Univ.  
Presider: Kathryn Starkey, Stanford Univ.

### **Very Much Blackened, Faded, and Badly Rubbed: Cotton Otho C.i, vol. II, f. 149r Revisited**

David F. Johnson, Florida State Univ.

### **The Fragmented Corpus: Anglo-Saxon Medical Discourse**

Jacqueline A. Stodnick, Univ. of Texas–Arlington

### ***Solomon and Saturn: Binding Fragments and the Edge of Knowledge***

Thomas A. Bredehoft, Chancery Hill Books

### **How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love *The Ruin***

Courtney Catherine Barajas, Univ. of Texas–Austin

Response: Lisa Fagin Davis, Medieval Academy of America

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## Female Tricksters

Sponsor: American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS); Monsters: The Experimental Association for the Research of Cryptozoology through Scholarly Theory and Practical Application (MEARCSTAPA)  
Organizer: Larissa Tracy, Longwood Univ.; Asa Simon Mittman, California State Univ.–Chico  
Presider: Sarah L. Higley, Univ. of Rochester

### **The Vexing Problem of Corporeality and the Badb in Irish Bardic Poetry**

Elizabeth Kempton, St. Louis Univ.

### **A “Tretis” for Tricksters: Figuring the Female in Middle Scots Verse**

Lucy R. Hinnie, Univ. of Edinburgh

### **Tricky Nicolette and Her Unstable Identity**

Ana Grinberg, East Tennessee State Univ.

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**The Medieval Franciscans and the Virgin Mary**

Sponsor: Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure Univ.  
Organizer: Steven J. McMichael, OFM Conv., Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota  
Presider: Steven J. McMichael, OFM Conv.

**Saint Francis of Assisi: The Model for Bonaventure's *Meditation on Spiritual Motherhood***

Yongho Francis Lee, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Reflecting on Mary: Pietro Lorenzetti's Madonna dei Tramonti (Madonna of the Sunsets) in the Lower Church, San Francesco (Assisi)**

Darrellyn Gunzburg, Univ. of Wales Trinity St. David

**Francis Mayron and the Immaculate Conception: Sources, Context, and Doctrine**

Christiaan W. Kappes, SS. Cyril and Methodius Byzantine Catholic Seminary

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Bernhard  
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**From Hildegard to *Mother Courage*: Celebrating the Life and Work of Robert Potter (1934–2010)**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS)  
Organizer: Robert L. A. Clark, Kansas State Univ.  
Presider: Robert L. A. Clark

**Robert Potter, the Modern Production of Medieval Plays, and the Historiography of the Field since 1970**

Alexandra F. Johnston, Records of Early English Drama

**Pre- and Post-Humanist Pig Performance**

Marla Carlson, Univ. of Georgia

**From the Hussite Revolution to the Catholic Enlightenment: The Suppression, Preservation, and Revival of Palmesels in Bohemia and Poland**

Max Harris, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

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Bernhard  
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**New Research in Germanic Medieval Studies III: Myth, Monsters, and Pagans**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Germanic Studies (SMGS)  
Organizer: Marian Elizabeth Polhill, Univ. of Puerto Rico–Recinto de Río Piedras; Jeffrey Turco, Purdue Univ.  
Presider: Ann Marie Rasmussen, Univ. of Waterloo

**Dead or Alive? The Statue in Picture and Text in Der Stricker's *Karl der Grosse***

Alison L. Beringer, Montclair State Univ.

**Death and the (Heathen) Maiden: The Ambiguously Noble Ends of Non-Christian Women**

Christopher Liebttag Miller, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Religious Identities and Giants in Medieval German Literature**

Tina Boyer, Wake Forest Univ.

### Teaching the Humanities in the Current Climate of Higher Education (A Roundtable)

Sponsor: Center for Teaching Excellence, Rice Univ.  
 Organizer: Joshua R. Eyler, Rice Univ.  
 Presider: Frank M. Napolitano, Radford Univ.

#### Can the Digital Humanities Save Medievalists?

Dorothy Kim, Vassar College

#### “So are you going to open a history store?” Explicit Professionalization and the Undergraduate Humanities Major

Leigh Ann Craig, Virginia Commonwealth Univ.

#### “Relatability” and the Ends of Empathy: A Manifesto for Teaching Medieval Studies at a Large, Urban, Minority-Serving Institution

Katharine W. Jager, Univ. of Houston–Downtown

#### Perspectives from a Community College

Susannah Chewning, Union County College

#### Perspectives from a Liberal Arts College

Aleksandra Pfau, Hendrix College

#### Teaching to the Choir

Cameron Hunt McNabb, Southeastern Univ.

#### A Plea for Research

Kisha G. Tracy, Fitchburg State Univ., and Joshua R. Eyler

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Bernhard  
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### Problems of Narration in Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century Literature II: Bad Narration?

Organizer: Matthias Meyer, Univ. Wien  
 Presider: Scott E. Pincikowski, Hood College

#### Problems of Narration in Konrad von Stoffeln’s *Gauriel von Muntabel*

Nina Hable, Univ. Wien

#### Narrator and Female Helper Figures: How They Prevent the Hero from Failing

Michaela Wiesinger, Univ. Wien

#### Modelling Abnormal Narration: The Case of Late Medieval Welsh Poetry

David Callander, Univ. of Cambridge

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Bernhard  
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### Charity and Poverty, and Bishops and the Secular Clergy

Sponsor: Episcopus: Society for the Study of Bishops and Secular Clergy in the Middle Ages  
 Organizer: Adam J. Davis, Denison Univ.  
 Presider: Kalani Craig, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

#### Who Are You Calling Poor? A Fourteenth-Century Irish Archbishop’s Exploration of Four States of Poverty

Bridget Riley, Univ. of Reading

Response: Holly J. Grieco, Siena College

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**Post-War Scholarship and the Study of the Middle Ages II: Panofsky**

Sponsor: Program in Medieval Studies, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
Organizer: Frederic Dulson, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Christopher Hensch, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Maureen C. Miller, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
Presider: Christopher Hensch

**First Contact: Panofsky Meets Warburg**

Elizabeth Sears, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Double Envisioning, Double Vanishing: Instantiations of the Divine in Perspective as Symbolic Form**

Laura Hatch, Univ. of California–Irvine

**Panofsky’s “Humanistic” Philosophy of History**

C. Oliver O’Donnell, Univ. of California–Berkeley

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Bernhard  
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**Reconstructing Medieval Libraries**

Sponsor: Early Book Society  
Organizer: Martha W. Driver, Pace Univ.  
Presider: Valerie Schutte, Independent Scholar

**Reconstructing the Personal Library of the German Franciscan Johannes Sintram, d. 1450**

Kimberly Rivers, Univ. of Wisconsin–Oshkosh

**“A Chest Full of Frenshe and Englishe Bokes”: A Re-examination of the Libraries of the Woodville Literary Circle**

Dominique Hoche, West Liberty Univ.

**The Corpus Catalogorum Belgii**

Benjamin Victor, Univ. de Montréal

Session 328  
Bernhard  
Brown &  
Gold Room

**Medievalism and Anti-Semitism**

Sponsor: International Society for the Study of Medievalism  
Organizer: Amy S. Kaufman, Middle Tennessee State Univ.  
Presider: Martin B. Shichtman, Eastern Michigan Univ.

**Medieval Heritage and Nazi Rituals: Historical Pageants in the Upper Palatinate**

Richard Utz, Georgia Institute of Technology

**William Dudley Pelley: An American Nazi in King Arthur’s Court**

Kevin J. Harty, La Salle Univ.

**Medievalism in Contemporary American Anti-Semitism**

Paul B. Sturtevant, Smithsonian Institution



### **The Translation of Saint Osmund (Performance)**

Sponsor: Gregorian Institute of Canada / L'Institut Grégorien du Canada  
Organizer: William Renwick, Gregorian Institute of Canada  
Presider: William Renwick

Session 329  
Kanley  
Chapel

Saint Osmund (d. 1099) was the last English saint to be canonized (in 1456) before the reformation. In 1457 a great celebration was held at Salisbury Cathedral as his remains were translated into a new shrine. The music composed for the Translation of Saint Osmund, which survives in only a single manuscript, thus represents the final flowering of chant composition in England. This performance is the first since the reformation of all the surviving Sarum chant composed in honor of Saint Osmund.

The performers are Alison Altstatt, Univ. of Northern Iowa; Robin Ehlert, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Mary Gillmeister, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Peter Goodrich, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Lara Housez, McMaster Univ.; Elizabeth Langs, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Eric MacKay, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Jonathan Marler, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Susan McKay, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Patricia Maynes, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Peggy Read, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Islay-May Renwick, Gregorian Institute of Canada; Jenifer Darling, Gregorian Institute of Canada; James Renwick, Univ. of Toronto; and Elaine Sheppard, Gregorian Institute of Canada.

### **An Introduction to Image Processing for Multispectral Projects (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Lazarus Project  
Organizer: Roger L. Easton, Jr., Rochester Institute of Technology  
Presider: Roger L. Easton, Jr.

Session 330  
Welborn  
Upjohn  
Center

Using data gleaned from the multispectral imaging workshop of the Lazarus Project, this session will introduce participants to deterministic and statistical techniques for enhancing multispectral images of damaged manuscripts. All participants will receive a step-by-step guide for image processing using ENVI and Photoshop. The workshop is led by Roger L. Easton, Jr. and Gregory Heyworth, Univ. of Mississippi.

—End of 3:30 p.m. Sessions—

Friday 3:30 p.m.

## Friday, May 13 Evening Events

5:00 p.m.	<b>WINE HOUR</b> Hosted by the Medieval Institute in honor of the winner of the twentieth Otto Gründler Book Prize	Valley III Harrison 301 Eldridge 307
5:00 p.m.	<b>Palgrave Macmillan</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Harrison 302
5:15 p.m.	<b>Vagantes Graduate Student Conference</b> Business meeting	Valley II Garneau Lounge
5:15 p.m.	<b>Italian Art Society</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 1005
5:15 p.m.	<b>Alumni and Friends of the Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of York</b> Gathering	Fetzer 1010
5:15 p.m.	<b>Medieval Association of Place and Space (MAPS)</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1030
5:15 p.m.	<b>American Society of Irish Medieval Studies (ASIMS) and Roinn Theanga agus Litríocht na Gaeilge/Dept. of Irish Language and Literature, Univ. of Notre Dame</b> Medieval Ireland Reception	Fetzer 1035
5:15 p.m.	<b>Medica: The Society for the Study of Healing in the Middle Ages</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 1060
5:15 p.m.	<b>Septentrionale Americanum Latinitatis Vivae Institutum (SALVI) and the Paideia Institute for Humanistic Society</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 2020
5:15 p.m.	<b>Society for the Study of Disability in the Middle Ages</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 2030
5:15 p.m.	<b>AVISTA: The Association Villard de Honnecourt for the Interdisciplinary Study of Medieval Technology, Science, and Art</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 2040
5:15 p.m.	<b>Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure Univ.</b> Gathering	Bernhard 204
5:15 p.m.	<b>Research Group on Manuscript Evidence and the Index of Christian Art, Princeton Univ.</b> Reception with open bar	Bernhard 208

5:15 p.m.	<b>International Arthurian Society, North American Branch (IAS/NAB)</b> Reception with cash bar	Bernhard 210
5:15 p.m.	<b>BABEL Working Group and the Material Collective</b> Reception with open bar	Bernhard President's Dining Room
5:30 p.m.	<b>14th Century Society</b> Business Meeting	Valley III Stinson 303
5:30 p.m.	<b>Coptic Stitch Binding (A Hands-On Workshop)</b> Sponsor: Kalamazoo Book Arts Center (KBAC) Organizer: Elizabeth C. Teviotdale, Kalamazoo Book Arts Center Presider: Katie Platte, Kalamazoo Book Arts Center  This two-hour hands-on workshop, taught by the Kalamazoo Book Arts Center's Studio Manager, Katie Platte, introduces participants to the traditional sewing technique known as Coptic stitch binding, which they use in creating a bound book. Advance registration is required (to e.teviotdale@att.net), and each participant pays a \$10.00 materials fee.	Valley I Ackley 104
5:30 p.m.	<b>Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 2016
5:30 p.m.	<b>International Alain Chartier Society</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 213
6:00–7:00 p.m.	<b>DINNER</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
6:00 p.m.	<b>Italians and Italianists at Kalamazoo</b> Business Meeting	Valley II LeFevre Lounge
6:30 p.m.	<b>Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)</b> Reception with cash bar	Fetzer Lobby

7:30 p.m.	<b>I Dilettosi Fiori: Fourteenth-Century Music for Clavicimbalum and Flutes</b> Corina Marti  Sponsored by the Medieval Institute and the Gilmore International Keyboard Festival	Kanley Chapel
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7:30 p.m.	<b>Performing Malory: The Tale of Sir Gareth (A Readers' Theater Performance)</b> Organizer: Steffi Delcourt, Univ. of Rochester Presider: Alison Harper, Univ. of Rochester  A readers' theater performance with Steffi Delcourt; Timothy R. Jordan, Ohio Univ.–Zanesville/Zane State College; Patricia V. Lehman, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor; Elaine Isaak, Independent Scholar; David Carlton, Western Univ.; Kara Larson Maloney, Binghamton Univ.; Sara Lou Stuart, Independent Scholar; Carolyn F. Scott, National Cheng Kung Univ.; Kimberly Jack, Athens State Univ.; Laura K. Bedwell, Univ. of Mary Hardin-Baylor; John Lowell Leland, Salem International Univ.; Kyle Huskin, Univ. of Rochester.	Valley III Stinson Lounge
7:30 p.m.	<b>Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)</b> Dinner (by invitation)	Fetzer 1055
7:30 p.m.	<b>International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA) Student Committee</b> Reception	Bernhard Brown & Gold Room
8:00 p.m.	<b>Performance as Research: Medieval Text, Modern Performance, Contested Ground (A Performance)</b> Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS) Organizer: Carolyn Coulson, Shenandoah Univ. Presider: Cameron Hunt McNabb, Southeastern Univ.  This session features a full performance of the French farce <i>Soeur Fessue</i> , translated by Mario B. Longtin (Western Univ.). The performance is followed by a discussion of the various research agendas that are at work in such a project, and the way the performance event can become a scholarly battleground. Performer/panelists are Carolyn Coulson; Lofton L. Durham, Western Michigan Univ.; Matthew Sergi, Univ. of Toronto; Mario B. Longtin; and Kyle A. Thomas, Univ. of Illinois–Urbana-Champaign.	Valley II Eicher 202
8:00 p.m.	<b>Spenser at Kalamazoo</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 2016

8:00 p.m.	<b>New Books Roundtable</b> Sponsor: Society for Medieval Germanic Studies (SMGS) Organizer: Marian Elizabeth Polhill, Univ. of Puerto Rico Recinto de Río Piedras; Jeffrey Turco, Purdue Univ. Presider: Ernst Ralf Hintz, Truman Univ.  A roundtable discussion of vernacular and Latin literary discourses of the Muslim other in medieval Germany with Jerold C. Frakes, Univ. at Buffalo.	Bernhard 204
8:00 p.m.	<b>Early Medieval Europe</b> Reception with open bar	Bernhard Faculty Lounge
8:30 p.m.	<b>Early Book Society</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 1030
9:00 p.m.	<b>Brill Press</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Eldridge 306
9:00 p.m.	<b>Hill Museum &amp; Manuscript Library (HMML)</b> Reception with open bar	Fetzer 1035
9:00 p.m.	<b>Centre for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Kent</b> Reception with open bar	Fetzer 2020
9:00 p.m.	<b>International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA)</b> Reception with cash bar	Bernhard Brown & Gold Room
9:30 p.m.	<b>A Hands-On Introduction to Islamic Astrolabes (A Workshop)</b> Organizer: Kristine Larsen, Central Connecticut State Univ. Presider: Kristine Larsen  A hands-on workshop on the basic parts and usage of an Islamic astrolabe, including how to calculate the times of prayer and estimate the direction of Mecca from a given location. Each of the first fifty attendees will receive a free cardboard astrolabe and instruction sheet.	Valley III Stinson Lounge
10:00 p.m.	<b>Univ. of Pennsylvania Press</b> Reception with open bar	Valley III Harrison 302

## Saturday, May 14 Morning Events

7:00–8:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
7:30–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Valley II and III
8:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Bernhard
8:30 a.m.	<b>Plenary Lecture</b>  College of Arts and Sciences Welcome Presentation of the 2016 <i>La corónica</i> Book Award Announcement of the 2016 Congress, Edwards, Gründler, and Karrer Travel Awards  <b>Religion and the End of the Roman West</b> Ian Wood, Univ. of Leeds	Bernhard East Ballroom
9:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Fetzer

## Saturday, May 14 10:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m. Sessions 331–384

Saturday 10:00 a.m.

Session 331  
Valley III  
Stinson  
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### Gender Studies

Presider: Albrecht Classen, Univ. of Arizona

#### **A Space of Her Own: Genderfluidity and Negotiation in *The Life of Christina of Markyate***

Meghan Nestel, Arizona State Univ.

*ACMRS Graduate Student Prize Winner*

#### **Frequent Fornicators and Scary Sodomites: Confessing Extramarital Sex in the Early Pastoral Tradition**

Kathleen Noll, Northwestern Univ.

#### **Idealization of the Masculine Gender in Twelfth-Century Society: Crusades, Chivalry, and Courtly Love**

Jillian Patch, Florida Gulf Coast Univ.

### **Theory and Practice of Rhetoric in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Medieval-Renaissance Faculty Workshop, Univ. of Louisville  
Organizer: Joseph Turner, Univ. of Louisville  
Presider: Joseph Turner

#### **Incarnational Poetics and Insular Rhetoric**

Tiffany Beechy, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

#### **Dante and Rhetoric of Vulgar Love: Fostering “the Habit of Knowledge” in the *Vita Nuova*, the *Convivio*, and Beyond**

Jim Miranda, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

#### **Epistolary Mediation in the *Ars dictaminis* and Chaucer’s *Legend of Good Women***

Elise Broadus, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

Session 332  
Valley III  
Stinson  
Lounge

### **C. S. Lewis and the Middle Ages I: The Lewis Bestiary**

Sponsor: Center for the Study of C. S. Lewis and Friends, Taylor Univ.  
Organizer: Joe Ricke, Taylor Univ.  
Presider: Marsha Daigle-Williamson, Spring Arbor Univ.

#### **On Pilgrimage among Beasts: Walking with Hroi and Puddleglum**

Victoria Holtz-Wodzak, Viterbo Univ.

#### **The Birds, the Bees, and Mr. Bultitude: Animal Sex and the Kingdom of Love in *That Hideous Strength***

Joe Ricke

#### **A Beast’s Best Friend: Interspecies Friendship in the Fiction of C. S. Lewis**

Edwin Woodruff Tait, Christian History Magazine

Session 333  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

### **Lydgate as Formal Innovator**

Sponsor: Lydgate Society  
Organizer: Timothy R. Jordan, Ohio Univ.–Zanesville/Zane State College  
Presider: Robert J. Meyer-Lee, Indiana Univ.–South Bend

#### **“Thi Woordis So Devyse”: Venus and the Grammar of the Trivium in Lydgate’s *Temple of Glas***

Anthony G. Cirilla, Niagara Univ.

#### **Rewriting Form: John Lydgate and the Fable Tradition**

Greta Smith, Miami Univ. of Ohio

#### **Lydgate’s Stones**

Christopher Roman, Kent State Univ.–Tuscarawas

Session 334  
Valley II  
Garneau  
Lounge

### **Anglo-Saxon Elements in Middle English Literature**

Sponsor: Medieval Association of the Midwest (MAM)  
Organizer: Dominique Battles, Hanover College  
Presider: Dominique Battles

#### **An Old English Riddle Recast in Fourteenth-Century Alliterative Verse**

Brian Cook, Univ. of Mississippi

#### **British and Saxon in Layamon’s *Brut*: The Case of King Arthur’s Arms**

Paul Battles, Hanover College

#### ***Gamelyn* and *Aethelstan*: Looking Back and Looking Forward**

Edward L. Risden, St. Norbert College

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Valley I  
Hadley  
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Valley I  
Hadley  
102

**New Feminist Approaches to Chaucer (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Samantha Katz Seal, Univ. of New Hampshire  
Presider: Eve Salisbury, Western Michigan Univ.

A roundtable discussion with Holly A. Crocker, Univ. of South Carolina–Columbia; Suzanne M. Edwards, Lehigh Univ.; Emma Lipton, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia; Elizabeth Robertson, Univ. of Glasgow; Samantha Katz Seal; and Tara Williams, Oregon State Univ., with a response from Nicole Nolan Sidhu, East Carolina Univ.

Session 337  
Valley I  
Ackley  
105

**The Early Yiddish Romance: New Research with a Roundtable Discussion on the Problem of Authorship: Minstrels (Shpilmener) or Scribes?**

Organizer: Jennifer G. Wollock, Texas A&M Univ.  
Presider: Jeffrey L. Wollock, Solidarity Foundation

**New Research on Early Yiddish Romances: Against the Shpilman**

Jerold C. Frakes, Univ. at Buffalo

**Elye Bokher as a Badkhan: The Case for the Shpilman**

Jennifer G. Wollock

Discussant: Leonard Callaway, Independent Scholar

Session 338  
Valley I  
Ackley  
106

**Texts of the Multilingual British Isles: Contact and Contrast**

Organizer: Lindy Brady, Univ. of Mississippi  
Presider: Lindy Brady

**James the Greater in Greater Northwest Europe: Ælfric, *Postola sögur*, and the Leabhar Breac**

Kevin R. Kritsch, Univ. of North Carolina–Chapel Hill/Kennesaw State Univ.

**Landscape as Spiritual State in *Guthlac A* and Early Irish “Nature” Poetry**

Joey McMullen, Harvard Univ.

**Æthelstan’s Fictional Kingship in Robert Mannyng of Brunne’s *Chronicle* and Two Icelandic Sagas**

Max Ashton, Stanford Univ.

**Chaucer’s Flemish London**

Michael Hanrahan, Bates College

Session 339  
Valley I  
Shilling  
Lounge

**Philosophy of Saint Thomas Aquinas I: Gifts, Councils, and Virtues**

Sponsor: Center for Thomistic Studies, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Organizer: Steven J. Jensen, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Presider: Steven J. Jensen

**The Gift of Counsel: A Key to Moral Theology**

Eric M. Johnston, Seton Hall Univ.

**How Faith Perfects Prudence: The Importance of the Gift of Counsel and Why Aquinas Devoted a Very Long Section of the *Summa of Theology* to the Judicial Precepts of the Old Law**

Randall B. Smith, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston

**To Become Poor: Saint Thomas on the Virtue of Poverty**

Anne Frances Ai Le, OP, St. Mark’s and Corpus Christi Colleges



### **Far Out! (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: BABEL Working Group  
Organizer: Suzanne Conklin Akbari, Univ. of Toronto  
Presider: Jeffrey Jerome Cohen, George Washington Univ.; Lara Farina, West Virginia Univ.

A roundtable discussion with Dorothy Kim, Vassar College; Melissa Ridley Elmes, Univ. of North Carolina–Greensboro; Anna Wilson, Univ. of Toronto; Matthew Bryan Gillis, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville; Karen Cook, Univ. of Hartford; and Drew Daniel, Johns Hopkins Univ.

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Fetzer  
1005

### **Conservation, Reconstruction, and Interpretation in a Digital Age (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Virginia C. Raguin, College of the Holy Cross  
Presider: Virginia C. Raguin

#### **The Sights and Sounds of Liturgy at Vadstena, Sweden, the Motherhouse of the Birgittine Order: A Collaborative International Digital Project**

Michelle Urberg, Univ. of Chicago/Univ. of Illinois–Urbana-Champaign

#### **“El Presente en el Pasado”: Contemporary Art as Exhibition Strategy in the Reuse and Reinterpretation of Santa Maria de las Cuevas, Seville**

Lia Dykstra, Brown Univ.

#### **Digital Outreach and Visitors’ Presence: Ways of Interpreting Medieval Art**

Leslie Bussis Tait, The Cloisters, Metropolitan Museum of Art

#### **Challenges of Display and Interpretation of Medieval Decorative Arts**

Rosie Mills, Los Angeles County Museum of Art

Session 341  
Fetzer  
1010

### **Beginning Well: Pedagogical Approaches and Resources for Early Career Medievalists (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York;  
TEAMS (The Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)  
Organizer: Dee Dyas, Univ. of York; Thomas A. Goodmann, Univ. of Miami  
Presider: Charles Wuest, Averett Univ.

#### **Survival of the Fittest**

Mickey Sweeney, Dominican Univ.

#### **“Seeing is believing”: Using Multi-disciplinary Resources to Explore the Experience of Medieval Parishioners**

Dee Dyas

#### **How to Be a Medievalist off the Tenure-Track, and Love It**

Gina Brandolino, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

#### **Selling the Middle Ages to Administrators and Colleagues**

Alan Baragona, James Madison Univ.

#### **Making Friends with the Medieval**

Kisha G. Tracy, Fitchburg State Univ.

#### **Early-Career Efficiencies: Building the Teacher-Scholar Model Early in Your Career**

Susan Signe Morrison, Texas State Univ.–San Marcos

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Fetzer  
1035

Saturday 10:00 a.m.

Session 343  
Fetzer  
1040

### Cistercian Words and Meaning

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Susan M. B. Steuer

#### **“Cibus in ore, psalmus in corde sapit”: A Few Choice Morsels: The Five Phrases of the Psalms that Appear Most Frequently in the Writings of Saint Bernard of Clairvaux**

Grace Remington, OCSO, Our Lady of the Mississippi Abbey

#### **“Who do you say that I am?”: Aelred’s Patterns of Reference when Naming Christ**

Marjory E. Lange, Western Oregon Univ.

#### **Saint Malachy’s Sister, the Song of Songs, and the Bridal Church in Saint Bernard of Clairvaux’s *Vita sancti Malachiae***

Ann W. Astell, Univ. of Notre Dame

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Fetzer  
1045

### Connections in the North Atlantic World

Sponsor: Dept. of English Studies, Durham Univ.  
Organizer: Eleanor Rosamund Barraclough, Durham Univ.  
Presider: Eleanor Rosamund Barraclough

#### **Kinship Connections in the Medieval North Atlantic**

Pragya Vohra, Univ. of Leicester

#### **Gestr and Gawain: *Bárðar saga* as Medieval Trans-Atlantic Hybrid**

William Biel, Univ. of Connecticut

#### **Cross-Cultural Interaction in Anglo-Scandinavian England: The Evidence from Bone Skates**

Beverly A. Thurber, Shimer College

#### **Riding the “Blue Animals of the Billow” (*Eiríksdrápa*): Seafaring in Poetry and Practice**

Tom Birkett, Univ. College Cork

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Fetzer  
1060

### Asterisk Tolkien: Filling Medieval Lacunae

Sponsor: Dept. of Religious Studies and Philosophy, The Hill School  
Organizer: John Wm. Houghton, Hill School  
Presider: John Wm. Houghton

#### **The “Lost” Language of the Hobbits**

Deidre Dawson, Independent Scholar

#### **“To Recall Forgotten Gods from Their Twilight”: Tolkien, Machen, and Lovecraft**

John D. Rateliff, Independent Scholar

#### **“Backdreaming” Beowulf’s *Scyld Scefing* Legend**

Anna Smol, Mount St. Vincent Univ.

#### **Bred in Mockery**

Michael Wodzak, Viterbo Univ.

**Pulling the Next Ones Up: Encouraging the Study of Medieval Spanish, Challenges and Projects (A Roundtable and Working Group Discussion)**

Sponsor: Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA); North American Catalan Society  
Organizer: John August Bollweg, College of DuPage  
Presider: Maureen Russo-Rodríguez, Schreiner Univ.

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**Creating and Disseminating Materials for Undergraduate and High School Teaching**

Sol Miguel-Prendes, Wake Forest Univ.

**Resources for Promoting Early Interest in the Iberian Middle Ages**

Linde M. Brocato, Univ. of Memphis

**Organizing a Workshop on Medieval Spanish Literature for High School Teachers**

Matthew V. Desing, Univ. of Texas–El Paso

**State Teaching Standards, College Curriculum, and Student Choice**

Mark D. Johnston, DePaul Univ.

**Turning Teaching Materials into Research for Promotion**

Gregory B. Kaplan, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

***La corónica's* Project Muse Commons as a Venue for Collaboration and Development of Materials for Hispano-Medieval Studies**

Isidro J. Rivera, Univ. of Kansas

**Response: Where To from Here? Next Steps and Innovations in Teaching Resources for Hispano-Medieval Studies**

Maureen Russo-Rodríguez

**Family and Dynasty in the Late Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Society of the White Hart  
Organizer: Mark Arvanigian, California State Univ.–Fresno  
Presider: Jeffrey S. Hamilton, Baylor Univ.

**The Kemps of Wye: A Dynasty of Lancastrian Servants**

Jon-Mark Grussenmeyer, Univ. of Kent

**Cecily Neville and the Yorkist Claims to the Throne**

Lainie Ann Pomerleau, Univ. of Georgia

**Fifteenth-Century Proofs of Age and Social and Collective Memory**

Joel T. Rosenthal, Stony Brook Univ.

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**Cultures of Play/Cultures at Play in Medieval Italy**

Sponsor: Italians and Italianists at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Akash Kumar, Columbia Univ.  
Presider: Karina Feliciano Attar, Queens College, CUNY

**The Great Equalizers: Death and Humor during the Black Death of the Fourteenth Century**

Ariana Ellis, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

***Fama, Autorità, Amicizia*: Volleying for Status and Strategic Naming in the Italian Medieval Tenzzone**

Savannah Cooper-Ramsey, Columbia Univ.

**Doubling the Chessboard: Chess, Math, Culture from the Early Italian Lyric to Dante**

Akash Kumar

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**Law as Culture: Felony, Insanity, and Vigilantism**

Sponsor: Selden Society  
Organizer: Alexander Volokh, Emory Law School  
Presider: Alexander Volokh

**Perilous and Prosaic: Felony Judging in Medieval England**

Elizabeth Papp Kamali, Harvard Law School

**Unpunishable? The Insanity Defense in Medieval English Law**

Wendy J. Turner, Augusta Univ.

**Vigilante Justice and the Church Courts in Paris, 1483–1505**

Tiffany D. Vann Sprecher, Kingsborough Community College, CUNY

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Schneider  
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**Local Sanctity in the Global Middle Ages: The Material Promotion of New Saints II**

Sponsor: Dommuseum Hildesheim; J. Paul Getty Museum  
Organizer: Kristen M. Collins, J. Paul Getty Museum; Gerhard Lutz, Dommuseum Hildesheim  
Presider: Kristen M. Collins

**“Ad Restaurationem Nostrae Christianitatis”: Saint Isidore and His Eleventh-Century Reliquary at San Isidoro, León**

Melanie Hanan, Stern College for Women, Yeshiva Univ.

**To Be or Not to Be: The Hidden Relics of Saint James and the Reconstruction of the Sanctuary Built by Diego II. Gelmírez**

Jens Rueffer, Univ. Bern

**The Bodies of the King: Royal Effigies and Holiness in Late Medieval England: A Revision of Kantorowicz**

Kristin Marek, Staatliche Hochschule für Gestaltung Karlsruhe

**The Mechanical Presentation of Relics**

Johannes Tripps, Hochschule für Technik, Wirtschaft und Kultur Leipzig

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**Mapping**

Presider: Kathy Lavezzo, Univ. of Iowa

**“You Are Here”: Mosaic Pavements as Cosmological Maps in the Medieval West**

Nicole Ford Burley, Boston Univ.

**There’s a Map for That: Elucidating Medieval *Mappae Mundi* through Contemporary Mapping Technologies**

Helen Davies, Univ. of Mississippi

**Medieval *Mappaemundi* as Dramatic Structure**

Dana Tanner-Kennedy, Yale Univ.

**The Sixteenth-Century Russian Cartographic Materials: The Remains of Old Tradition of the First Cartographic Experience?**

Alexey Frolov, Institute of World History, Russian Academy of Sciences

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1130

**New Circles/New Voices**

Sponsor: International Sidney Society  
Organizer: Nandra Perry, Texas A&M Univ.  
Presider: Kathryn DeZur, SUNY–Delhi

**Affectionate Judgment: Gender and Forgiveness in Philip Sidney’s *Old Arcadia***

Tommy Pfannkoch, Texas A&M Univ.

**Wroth and Ovid: Constancy in a Changing World**

Thomasin Bailey, Univ. of Warwick

**Margaret Cavendish's *The Convent of Pleasure* as Parody of Sir Philip Sidney's *Countess of Pembroke's Arcadia***

Chelsea Franco, Florida International Univ.

**Musical Sources and Materiality**

Sponsor: Musicology at Kalamazoo

Organizer: Anna Kathryn Grau, DePaul Univ.; Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.;  
Daniel J. DiCenso, College of the Holy Cross

Presider: Cathy Ann Elias

**The Early History of the León Antiphoner**

Elsa De Luca, Univ. of Bristol

**"Woman, behold your son": Musical Devotion and Gender Identity in Double Cloisters**

Lauren Purcell-Joiner, Univ. of Oregon

**Beyond Court Culture: Fourteenth-Century Composed Polyphony in the Cultural Environment of the Northern Low Countries**

Eliane Fankhauser, Univ. Utrecht

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Schneider  
1135

**Ethically A'twitter, or A-twitter? Attending, Attention, and Access with or without the Live-Tweet (A Panel Discussion)**

Organizer: Benjamin Ambler, Arizona State Univ./Dwight Englewood School

Presider: Benjamin Ambler

A panel discussion with Jonathan Hsy, George Washington Univ.; Angela R. Bennett-Segler, Univ. of Nevada–Reno; Peter Konieczny, Medievalists.net; Kristen Mapes, Michigan State Univ.; Eileen A. Joy, BABEL Working Group; and John P. Sexton, Bridgewater State Univ.

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**Innovation in Identities, Innovation in Narratives: Literature in the Mediterranean Region in Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Florida;  
Centrum Ceraneum, Univ. Lodzki

Organizer: Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida

Presider: Andrei Gandila, Univ. of Alabama–Huntsville

**Identity in *Statu Nascendi*: The Case of the Early Constantinopolitan Authors**

Andrzej Kompa, Univ. of Lodz

**Evolution of a Genre, Evolution of an Identity: Barbarians in Latin Panegyrics of Late Antiquity**

Adrian Szopa, Univ. Pedagogiczny im. Komisji Edukacji Narodowej w Krakowie

**Innovation in Ninth-Century Byzantium: Was the Chronicle of Synkellos and Theophanes Meant to Incite a Revolt?**

Jesse W. Torgerson, Wesleyan Univ.

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Saturday 10:00 a.m.

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**Economies of the Fourteenth Century: Macro and Micro Issues**

Sponsor: 14th Century Society  
Organizer: Marie D'Aguanno Ito, Georgetown Univ.  
Presider: Debra A. Salata, Lincoln Memorial Univ.

**Over Land and Sea: Gendering the Economies of Fourteenth-Century Catalonia**  
Sarah Ifft Decker, Yale Univ.

**Within One Another: The Bell Tower of Ghent and *The Privileges and Statutes of Ghent and Flanders***

Karen M. Klockner, Institute of Fine Arts, New York Univ.

**Wheat versus Grain: The Two-Tiered Economic and Social Environment of the Florentine Market at Orsanmichele, 1265–1330s**

Marie D'Aguanno Ito

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**Medieval Franciscan Women as Theologians**

Sponsor: Women in the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition (WIFIT)  
Organizer: Diane Tomkinson, OSF, Neumann Univ.  
Presider: Diane Tomkinson, OSF

**Women with Ordinary Faith: Writing the History of Secular Franciscans from Sparcely Documented Lives**

Darleen Pryds, Franciscan School of Theology

**“Pregnant with God”: Creation and the Natural World in Angela of Foligno’s Theology**

Joy A. Schroeder, Trinity Lutheran Seminary/Capital Univ.

**Caritas Pirckheimer: Freedom of Conscience**

Pacelli Millane, OSC, Women in the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition

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**The Long Lives of Medieval Objects, from Big to Small I: Restoration**

Sponsor: AVISTA: The Association Villard de Honnecourt for the Interdisciplinary Study of Medieval Technology, Science, and Art  
Organizer: Jennifer M. Feltman, Univ. of West Florida; Sarah Thompson, Rochester Institute of Technology  
Presider: Jennifer M. Feltman

**Ottocento Interventions at San Francesco, Siena: The Afterlives of the Lorenzetti Frescos**

Imogen Tedbury, Courtauld Institute of Art

**Understanding the Restoration of Chartres Cathedral**

Meredith Cohen, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

**The Power of Absence: The Missing North Tower of Saint-Denis**

Sarah Thompson

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Schneider  
1225

**Before/After Constantinus Africanus: Medicine in the Beneventan Zone and Beyond I**

Sponsor: Society for Beneventan Studies  
Organizer: Richard F. Gyug, Fordham Univ.  
Presider: Richard F. Gyug

***De innumeris remediorum utilitatibus*: Constructing a Medical Recipe Collection at Early Medieval Montecassino**

Jeffrey Doolittle, Fordham Univ.

**Constantine's *Viaticum* in the Beneventan Zone and Beyond**

Andrew J. M. Irving, Univ. of Notre Dame/Cologne Center for eHumanities,  
and Brian P. Long, Whitman College

**Byzantine Medicine at Monte Cassino during the Time of Constantine the African**

F. Eliza Glaze, Coastal Carolina Univ.

**In a Word, Philology: Etymology, Lexicography, Semantics, and More in Germanic**

Organizer: Adam Oberlin, Atlanta International School

Presider: Deva Fall, Academy of the Holy Cross

**The Value of the Body in Exchange**

Christopher Hench, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Accusative Alter \*egoH-: Portmanteau Object Pronouns in Germanic**

Matthew Boutilier, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**The Nine Feats of Rōgnvaldr LV1**

Douglas P. A. Simms, Southern Illinois Univ.–Edwardsville

**Alliteration in Old Germanic Poetry as a Sense-Making Tool: From Eduard**

**Sievers via Tom Shippey to Olga Smirnitskaya and Beyond**

Ilya V. Sverdlov, Rootless Cosmopolitan Univ.

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**Finding the Medieval Library: Lambach Manuscripts at the Beinecke Library, the Hill Museum & Manuscript Library, and Elsewhere**

Sponsor: Beinecke Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Yale Univ.; Hill Museum  
& Manuscript Library (HMML)

Organizer: Matthew Z. Heintzelman, Hill Museum & Manuscript Library

Presider: Eileen L. Smith, Hill Museum & Manuscript Library

**The Institution Gathering Fragments: Yale and the Beinecke Expanding Collections**

Raymond Clemens, Yale Univ.

**Lambach and Yale: A Case Study in Fragmentology**

Lisa Fagin Davis, Medieval Academy of America

**Left Behind: Microfilming the Lambach Manuscripts in 1965**

Matthew Z. Heintzelman

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1245

**Making Sense of the Material**

Sponsor: Early Book Society

Organizer: Martha W. Driver, Pace Univ.

Presider: Michael Johnston, Purdue Univ.

**The Muddled Paschal Hand of Oxford, Bodleian Library, MS Bodley 579 (The Leofric Missal)**

Rhonda L. McDaniel, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

**Packaging Romance: Romance Anthologies and Democratization of Texts**

Lydia Yaitsky Kertz, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**In Manu Sua: William Herebert's Autograph Translation**

Marjorie Harrington, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Networks of Obligation and Testament: Understanding the Relationship of the**

**Extracodical Verses at Holy Trinity, Long Melford**

Matthew Evan Davis, Independent Scholar

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**English Books Abroad: Their Reception in Late Medieval France**

Organizer: Jaclyn Rajsic, Queen Mary, Univ. of London  
Presider: Jaclyn Rajsic

**The Export of French-Language Literature from England to France:  
Rediscovering a Transnational Perspective**

Marianne Ailes, Univ. of Bristol

**Brut's Return: Continental Manuscripts of the Anglo-Norman Prose *Brut*  
Chronicle**

Julia Marvin, Univ. of Notre Dame

**The Continental Reception of Nicholas Trevet's *Les Cronicles***

Heather Pagan, Aberystwyth Univ.

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**"The Grail Is the Opposite of Poetry": The Medieval Coterie in Jack Spicer's *The Holy Grail* (A Performance and Roundtable)**

Sponsor: eth press

Organizer: Daniel Remein, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston; Chris Piuma, Univ. of Toronto

Presider: Chris Piuma

A performance and roundtable with Alex Mueller, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston ("Spicer's Grail in the Boston Public Library"); Laurie A. Finke, Kenyon College; Martin B. Shichtman, Eastern Michigan Univ.; and Daniel Remein.

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1320

**What Devils Say**

Sponsor: Texas Medieval Association (TEMA)

Organizer: Katayoun Torabi, Texas A&M Univ.

Presider: Britt Mize, Texas A&M Univ.

**Diabolical Rhetoric in Old and Middle English Texts**

Katayoun Torabi

**The Deflated Speech of Dante's Devils, Animals, and Angels**

Maggie Fritz-Morkin, Sewanee: The Univ. of the South

**"New Engynes of Malycyous Conspiracy": Linguistic Temptation in the  
Demon's Prologue to N-Town Passion Play 1**

Valerie Gramling, Univ. of Miami

**Nonsense and Devil-Talk: Impious Improvisation in John Skelton and Others**

Thomas H. Crofts, III, East Tennessee State Univ.

Session 366  
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1325

**Theology and Literature in Medieval Asia Minor, Central and South Eastern Europe**

Sponsor: Romanian Institute of Orthodox Theology and Spirituality of New York

Organizer: Theodor Damian, Metropolitan College of New York

Presider: Daniela Anghel, Romanian Institute of Orthodox Theology and Spirituality

***De Hominis Dignitate* in Gregory of Nazianzus's Poetry**

Theodor Damian

**The History and Transmission of "On Watchfulness and Holiness" by  
Hesychius of Sinai: A Reappraisal**

Daniel VanderKolk, St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary

**"He who pays attention to them is illumined": Peter of Damaskos, Repetition,  
and *Lectio Divina***

Nathan John Haydon, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville



**Nilus of Ancyra on the Song of Songs: A Link in the Catena**

Clair W. McPherson, General Theological Seminary of the Episcopal Church

**The Lais of Marie de France**

Presider: Maggie Heeschen, Medieval Institute, Western Michigan Univ.

**Of Medieval Spaces: Heterotopia and Gender in Marie de France's *Lanval***

Julie K. Chamberlin, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Women, Space, and Influence in the Lais of Marie de France**

Holly C. A. Corbett, McMaster Univ.

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1330

**Hagiography I: Europe**

Presider: Christine F. Cooper-Rompato, Utah State Univ.

**Don't Mess with This Monastery: Two Sixth-Century Gallic *Vitae* Leveraging Famous Patrons into Raw Political Power**

Daniel Price, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Identifying with Sanctity: The *Vita Sancti Alexii* (B.H.L. 286) and Peter Damian's *Sermo Sancti Alexii Confessoris***

Alessia Miriam Berardi, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

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***Transi* Tombs and Middle English Alliterative Poetry**

Presider: Lisa M. Horton, Univ. of Minnesota–Duluth

**"To tell the todus theropon with tung were ful tere": *Transi* Tombs, Toads, and *Luxuria* in Medieval Alliterative Poetry**

Caroline Diezyn, Univ. of Western Ontario

**The Text and the *Transi* Tomb: How Medieval Funerary Art Can Enhance Our Study of the Fourteenth-Century Alliterative Poem *Pearl***

Kyla Drzazgowski, Univ. of British Columbia

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**The Life of "I": Biography, Autobiography, and the Self in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Program in Medieval Studies, Princeton Univ.

Organizer: Sara S. Poor, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Sara S. Poor

**"Restoring to Me Your Brother's Beauty": Interiority as *Hebraica Veritas* in Abelard's *Planctus***

Ruth Nisse, Wesleyan Univ.

**Confessing Nothing: Marguerite Porete's Middle English "I" without "You"**

Amy Conwell, Univ. of Toronto

**Doubling and the Creation of the Female Devotional Self in Late Medieval England**

Elise Wang, Princeton Univ.

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### **Medieval Chess (A Workshop)**

Sponsor: Game Cultures Society  
Organizer: Serina Patterson, Univ. of British Columbia  
Presider: Serina Patterson

A hands-on workshop led by Serina Patterson and Daniel O'Sullivan (Univ. of Mississippi) that will introduce participants to the history and various rules of medieval chess. Attendees will have a chance to play the Lombard version of medieval chess, with the option to play other rules (e.g. Anglo-French or Spanish) or adaptations of the game (e.g. Courier's Chess). The first forty participants will also receive a take-home bookmark that outlines the moves and rules of the Lombard assize for their own personal instruction.

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### **The Urban Church**

Organizer: Cathrine Besancon, Lake Forest College  
Presider: Kristine Tanton, Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

#### **Anician Topographies of Power in the Late Antique Mediterranean**

Kaelin Jewell, Temple Univ.

#### **More than a Church: The Archaeology of Early Church Agricultural Production**

Catherine Keane, Ludwig-Maximilians-Univ. München

#### **Facing the Marketplace: The Romanesque Sculpted Portal of Beaulieu-sur-Dordogne**

Cathrine Besancon

#### **Liturgy, Church, and City: Illuminated Ritual Books in Fourteenth- and Fifteenth-Century France**

Katherine Clark, College at Brockport

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### **Liturgy and Politics in the Ottonian Empire**

Organizer: Paweł Figurski, Univ. Warszawski/Univ. of Notre Dame  
Presider: Margot E. Fassler, Univ. of Notre Dame

#### **What Was the Pontifical Romano-Germanique?**

Henry Parkes, Yale Univ.

#### **Tenth-Century Queens and Empresses in the Liturgy**

Megan Welton, Univ. of Notre Dame

#### **The Ideal of "Rex et Sacerdos" in the Ottonian Liturgical Books: A Reconsideration**

Paweł Figurski

#### **"Do not perform the episcopal benediction and the rites of the mass in my diocese!": The Usage of Liturgy for Wielding Authority in the Border Region of Cambrai/Arras**

Julia Exarchos, Univ. Gent/Univ. of California–Berkeley

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### **Sensory Reflections: Traces of Experience in Medieval Artifacts I**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Stanford Univ.  
Organizer: Fiona Griffiths, Stanford Univ.; Kathryn Starkey, Stanford Univ.  
Presider: Beth Williamson, Bristol Univ.

#### **The Space of Relics and the Viewer's Approach**

Cynthia Hahn, Hunter College and Graduate Center, CUNY

**Uncanny Vitality: Encounters with the Burgos Crucifix**

Elina Gertsman, Case Western Reserve Univ.

**The Matter of Fear: The Harbaville Triptych and Its Staging of Judgment in Ivory**

Ravinder Binning, Stanford Univ.

**The Business of Old English (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: Old English Forum, Modern Language Association

Organizer: Stephen J. Harris, Univ. of Massachusetts–Amherst

Presider: David F. Johnson, Florida State Univ.

**Journals**

Stephen J. Harris

**Teaching**

Matthew T. Hussey, Simon Fraser Univ.

**Administration**

Andrew P. Scheil, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**Books**

Thomas A. Bredehoft, Chancery Hill Books

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**Ecocritical Outlaws**

Sponsor: International Association for Robin Hood Studies (IARHS)

Organizer: Kristin Bovaird-Abbo, Univ. of Northern Colorado; Valerie B. Johnson, Georgia Institute of Technology; Alexander L. Kaufman, Auburn Univ.–Montgomery

Presider: Kristin Bovaird-Abbo

***Fen and Fæsten: the Anglo-Saxon Fenlands of the Gesta Herewardi***

Ben Reinhard, Christendom College

***Under the grene wode tre: Sherwood Forest as Preservationist Green Space***

Ann Martinez, Kent State Univ.–Stark

**The Medieval Outlaw as Indicator Species**

Jeremy DeAngelo, Rutgers Univ.

**The “Matter” of the Greenwood: The More-than-Human World of Robin Hood**

Jason Hogue, Univ. of Texas–Arlington

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**Preaching Texts in Early England**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Anglo-Saxon Homiletics (SSASH)

Organizer: Brandon W. Hawk, Rhode Island College

Presider: Johanna Kramer, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Ælfric and Eucharistic Models of Exchange**

Stephanie Clark, Univ. of Oregon

***Ad Orientem or Versus Populum? The Direction of Liturgical Prayer in the Anglo-Saxon Church***

Luke DeWeese, Catholic Univ. of America

***Ælfric’s Exodus: Time and a Theology of History in the Sermo de sacrificio in die Pascae***

Rachel E. Grabowski, Cornell Univ.

**Nationhood and the Politics of Fear in Wulfstan’s *Sermo Lupi ad Anglos***

Marjorie Housley, Univ. of Notre Dame

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**Medieval Sermon Studies I: Transmission and Circulation**

Sponsor: International Medieval Sermon Studies Society  
Organizer: Holly Johnson, Mississippi State Univ.  
Presider: Holly J. Grieco, Siena College

**“The Past through Tomorrow,” or, The Carolingians’ Trans-Mission for the Future History of the Sermon Collection**

Michael T. Martin, Fort Lewis College

**Exegetical Traditions and the Artes Praedicandi: A Case Study from a New Manuscript**

Daniel J. Nodes, Baylor Univ.

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**Sadism/Masochism in Medieval Europe**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Homosexuality in the Middle Ages (SSHMA)  
Organizer: Graham N. Drake, SUNY–Geneseo  
Presider: Christopher T. Vaccaro, Univ. of Vermont

**Leather and Loathly Ladies, Then and Now: The Wife of Bath and BDSM**

Nicole Slipp, Queen’s Univ. Kingston

**Land of Saints and Sadists: The S&M Scene(s) in Medieval Ireland**

Phillip A. Bernhardt-House, Skagit Valley College

**Wounding through Love: Sadomasochism in Johannes von Marienwerder’s *Life of Dorothea of Montau***

Caitlyn McLoughlin, Ohio State Univ.

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**With Nicholas Watson, Middle Time: Past, Present, and Future**

Sponsor: Harvard English Dept. Medieval Colloquium  
Organizer: Helen Cushman, Harvard Univ.  
Presider: Aparna Chaudhuri, Harvard Univ.

**The Indeterminate Present: 698, 1066, 1381**

Cynthia Turner Camp, Univ. of Georgia

**Imagining God’s Foresight: The Shape of Visionary Encounter in Julian of Norwich’s *A Revelation of Love***

Anna Kelner, Harvard Univ.

**“Now”: Stephen Batman’s Tropological Middle Time**

Ryan McDermott, Univ. of Pittsburgh

**Sapientia: The Medieval Invention of the Secular**

Nicholas Watson, Harvard Univ.

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**Early Modern English Literature**

Presider: Elizabeth Harper, Mercer Univ.

**Plantagenet Mournings: Forms of Temporality and Chronotope in Shakespeare’s *Richard II* and *The Life and Death of King John***

Ken Fullam, East Tennessee State Univ.

**Confining Spaces, Prospective Times: Imprisonment and Temporality in Early Modern Drama**

Charlotte Thurston, Graduate Center, CUNY

**“Wretched princes complain unto me”: History as Polychronic Performative Play in *A Mirror for Magistrates***

Melanie Lo, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**“For who is he... that will not follow?": The Participatory Nature of History in the Chronicle History Play**

Erin DeYoung, Trinity College, Univ. of Dublin

**Reading Aloud the French of England (A Workshop)**

Organizer: Laurie Postlewait, Barnard College

Presider: Laurie Postlewait

***Tristan of Thomas***

Alice M. Colby-Hall, Cornell Univ.

**Robert Grosseteste's *Chateau d'amour***

Anna Siebach Larsen, Univ. of Notre Dame

***Le Roman de Waldef***

Nicole Clifton, Northern Illinois Univ.

**Guillaume le Clerc de Normandie's *Le Besant de Dieu***

Maureen B. M. Boulton, Univ. of Notre Dame

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**Geoffrey of Monmouth and Wales**

Sponsor: Dept. of Celtic Languages and Literatures, Harvard Univ.

Organizer: Georgia Henley, Harvard Univ.

Presider: Georgia Henley

**Classical Rhetoric and "British" Nationalism in the *Historia regum Britanniae***

Victoria Shirley, Cardiff Univ.

**Prologues to the *Brut y Brenhinedd***

Jacqueline M. Burek, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Geoffrey's *Vita Merlini* and Welsh Prophecy**

Michael Faletra, Reed College

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**Narratives of Forgetting and the Forgetting of Narratives: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Erasure, Revision, and the Loss of Memories**

Sponsor: Program in Medieval Studies, Rutgers Univ.

Organizer: Danielle Bradley, Rutgers Univ.

Presider: Kristin Canzano Pinyan, Rutgers Univ.

***Beowulf mapelode*: Narration, Remembrance, and Temporality in the Old English *Beowulf***

Lauren McConnell, Rutgers Univ.

**Overcoming Family Disputes: Disappearing Narratives within the Ottonian Historiography**

Iliana Kandzha, Central European Univ.

*Gründler Travel Award Winner*

**Politics and the Cathedral: Remembering and Forgetting Narratives of Secular and Ecclesiastic Tensions in Norwich**

Therese Novotny, Marquette Univ.

**Forgetting Forgetfulness: The Ironies of Memory Loss in Book IV of the *Confessio amantis***

Elias Bertschi, Independent Scholar

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Brown & Gold Room

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## Saturday, May 14 Lunchtime Events

11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.	<b>LUNCH</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
11:45 a.m.	<b>Societas Magica</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1055
Noon	<b>Kazoo Books</b> A discussion with authors about writing historical fiction with an emphasis on creating fictional characters.	Valley III Stinson Lounge
Noon	<b>International Machaut Society</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1030
Noon	<b>International Marie de France Society</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 1060
Noon	<b>Medieval Electronic Multimedia Organization (MEMO)</b> Business Meeting and Reception with cash bar	Fetzer 2016
Noon	<b><i>Pearl-Poet Society</i></b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 2030
Noon	<b>AVISTA: The Association Villard de Honnecourt for the Interdisciplinary Study of Medieval Technology, Science, and Art</b> Business Meeting	Schneider 1220
Noon	<b>Tolkien at Kalamazoo</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 212
Noon	<b>International Medieval Sermon Studies Society</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard Faculty Lounge

Saturday lunchtime

**Saturday, May 14**  
**1:30–3:00 p.m.**  
**Sessions 385–438**

**Medieval Translation Theory and Practice I**

Organizer: Jeanette Beer, Univ. of Oxford

Presider: Jeanette Beer

**When Is a Gloss an Interlinear Translation? The Case of The Cambridge Psalter in Anglo-Saxon England**

M. Jane Toswell, Western Univ.

**Gloss and the Translation of Ethics in Christine de Pizan's *Letter of Othea to Hector***

Courtney Palmbush, Princeton Theological Seminary

**Translation, Text, and Gloss in Lydgate's *Henry VI's Triumphal Entry into London***

Jane Griffiths, Univ. of Oxford

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**Childhood/Innocence in Victorian Medievalism**

Organizer: Daniel Najork, Arizona State Univ.; Eileen A. Joy, BABEL Working Group

Presider: Daniel Najork

**Alice, Dream Visions, and Victorian Childhood**

William Racicot, Independent Scholar

**Victorian Medievalism and the Construction of the Innocent Male Body in the Poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins**

Cheryl Jaworski, Univ. of California–Santa Barbara

**Medieval Fantasy and the Neo-Victorian Child in C. S. Lewis's *Chronicles of Narnia***

Heather L. N. Hess, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

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Stinson  
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**Fables and Other Works of Marie de France**

Sponsor: International Marie de France Society

Organizer: Ann McCullough, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

Presider: Ed Ouellette, Air Command and Staff College

**Expression in Disjunction: Marie's *Espurgatoire***

Ann McCullough

**Interspecies Encounters: Words and Deeds between Man and Beast in the Fables of Marie de France**

Tamara Bentley Caudill, Tulane Univ.

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Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**Speech, Sermons, and Silence in the *Pearl*-Poems**

Sponsor: *Pearl*-Poet Society

Organizer: Kara Larson Maloney, Binghamton Univ.

Presider: Kara Larson Maloney

**The Pearl-Maiden as Preacher**

Jane Beal, Univ. of California–Davis

**The Lore Locked Within: Jonah as Fourteenth-Century Preacher**

Ethan Campbell, King's College

**"Wy borde ye men? So madde ye be!": The *Pearl*-Poet's Double-Edged Humor**

Ashley E. Bartelt, Northern Illinois Univ.

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**Whose Life Is It Anyway? Rethinking Medieval and Modern Biographies  
(A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto; Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris  
Organizer: Daniel Price, Univ. of Toronto; Vanina M. Kopp, Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris  
Presider: Suzanne Conklin Akbari, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Is Autobiography a Christian Thing? A View from Late Antiquity**

Catherine Conybeare, Bryn Mawr College

**Jules and Joan: Michelet's Joan of Arc**

Daisy Delogu, Univ. of Chicago

**Reverse and Rewind: How the Fourteenth-Century French King Charles V Became a National Hero in Nineteenth-Century Historiography**

Vanina M. Kopp

**History and Genre in Early Hagiography**

Daniel Price

**Biographical Method and Historical Judgment**

Gordon Blennemann, Univ. de Montréal

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***La corónica* International Book Award: Dr. Ryan Szpiech, *Conversion and Narrative: Reading and Religious Authority in Medieval Polemic* (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: *La corónica: A Journal of Medieval Hispanic Languages, Literatures, and Cultures*  
Organizer: Jonathan Burgoyne, Ohio State Univ.  
Presider: Mark D. Johnston, DePaul Univ.

A panel discussion with Ryan Wesley Szpiech, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor; Michelle M. Hamilton, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities; Jonathan Decter, Brandeis Univ.; and Thomas E. Burman, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville.

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**Virtuous Laity: The Piety of Non-Church Officials**

Sponsor: Texas Medieval Association (TEMA)  
Organizer: John M. Howe, Texas Tech Univ.  
Presider: John M. Howe

***Virtutes Sanctarum Familiarum*: The Significance to Lay Piety of Family Virtues in Eleventh- and Twelfth-Century English Saints' Lives**

Joshua Logsdon, Texas Tech Univ.

**Women in the Devil's City: Lay Female Piety in Verona, 1215–1260**

Jennifer E. W. Stiles, Univ. of Akron

**Dom Nuno Álvares Pereira aka Friar Nuno de Santa Maria: A Portuguese General Achieves Sainthood**

L. J. Andrew Villalon, Univ. of Texas–Austin

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**Philosophy of Saint Thomas Aquinas II: Man in the Universe**

Sponsor: Center for Thomistic Studies, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Organizer: Steven J. Jensen, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Presider: R. Edward Houser, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston

**The Three Universes of Saint Thomas Aquinas**

John G. Brungardt, Catholic Univ. of America



**Being and Time in Thomistic Metaphysics: On an Exchange between Lawrence Dewan and Joseph Owens**

Kevin White, Catholic Univ. of America

**Aquinas and the Identity of Intellect and Intelligibles**

Therese Scarpelli Cory, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Recipe for a Better Peer Review (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Myra J. Seaman, College of Charleston; Asa Simon Mittman, California State Univ.–Chico

Presider: Myra J. Seaman

A roundtable discussion with Caroline Palmer, Boydell & Brewer, Ltd.; Catherine E. Karkov, Univ. of Leeds; Emily Steiner, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Timothy L. Stinson, North Carolina State Univ.; Marci Sortor, St. Olaf College; Richard K. Emmerson, Florida State Univ.; and Daniel Powell, King's College London/Univ. of Victoria.

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Fetzer  
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**Authority and Dissent in Medieval Art History Today: A Roundtable Discussion in Memory and Celebration of Barbara Abou-El-Haj**

Organizer: Nina A. Rowe, Fordham Univ.

Presider: Jerrilynn Dodds, Sarah Lawrence College

**Egodocument and Dissent**

Ittai Weinryb, Bard Graduate Center

**Building Bursa**

Saygin Salgirli, Univ. of British Columbia

**Justice and Collusion**

Madeline H. Caviness, Tufts Univ.

**Influence Explained**

Sharon Smith, Aga Khan Documentation Center, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**Cultural Geographies**

Gerry Guest, John Carroll Univ.

**No Man's Land**

Sherry C. M. Lindquist, Western Illinois Univ.

**Fascist Medievalism**

Melissa Fitzmaurice, Binghamton Univ.

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**Gower and the Globe**

Sponsor: Gower Project

Organizer: Georgiana Donavin, Westminster College

Presider: Georgiana Donavin

**Going Feral: Uncontrollable Languages in the *Vox clamantis***

Shyama Rajendran, George Washington Univ.

**Gower in the Globe: Reading *Pericles* through *Confessio amantis***

Seth Strickland, St. Louis Univ.

**"All the World's a Stage": Gower, *Pericles*, and Authorial Mobility**

Eve Salisbury, Western Michigan Univ.

Response: William Rogers, Univ. of Louisiana–Monroe

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### Cistercian Exempla

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Martha Fessler Krieg, Independent Scholar

#### **The Flesh and the Blood: Eucharistic Figurativeness in *Dialogus miraculorum* of Caesarius of Heisterbach**

Elena Kuzmenko, Lomonosov Moscow State Univ.

#### **Miracle or Mystical Experience? Some Reflections on a Cistercian Exemplan**

Marielle Lamy, Univ. de Paris-Sorbonne

#### **Contemplating the Virgin around the Year 1200: A Cistercian Monk Writes for an Unnamed Nun**

Martha G. Newman, Univ. of Texas–Austin

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### New Voices in Saga Studies

Sponsor: New England Saga Society (NESS)  
Organizer: John P. Sexton, Bridgewater State Univ.; Andrew M. Pfrenger, Kent State Univ.–Salem  
Presider: Will Eggers, Loomis Chaffee School

#### **Christmas Eve of the Living Dead: The Satanic Draugr**

Kent Pettit, St. Louis Univ.

#### **Valiant Warriors, Adulterers, and Witches: Unstable Representations of Character in Icelandic Adaptations and Appropriations of Arthurian Legend**

Rachael Warmington, Indiana Univ. of Pennsylvania

#### **The Distributed Personhood of Old Norse Magic Swords and the Disruption of Self-Agency: A Non-anthropocentric Approach to the Sagas**

Miriam Mayburd, Háskóli Íslands

#### **Pagan Sympathy as Political Resistance in Two Sagas of Icelanders**

Eric O. Scott, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

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### Sidneian Poetics: Making Sense

Sponsor: International Sidney Society  
Organizer: Nandra Perry, Texas A&M Univ.  
Presider: Andrew Strycharski, Florida International Univ.

#### **Still in Thought with Thee I Go: Epistemology and Consciousness in the Sidney Psalms**

Nancy Simpson-Younger, Pacific Lutheran Univ.

#### **Piercing the Sight of the Soul: Aristotle, Sidney, and the Experience of Reading**

Miriam Diller, Rutgers Univ.

#### **Pregnant with Generality: Reconceiving Sidneian Poetics**

Valerie Allen, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

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### Emotions and Performativity in Early Drama, Art, and Music

Sponsor: Early Drama, Art, and Music  
Organizer: Jesse D. Hurlbut, Brigham Young Univ.  
Presider: Alexandra F. Johnston, Records of Early English Drama

#### **Mixed Sympathies: Thinking and Feeling about Jews in the *Ludus de Antichristo***

Caitlin Hamilton, Univ. of Virginia

#### **Awe and Astonishment in Medieval French Narrative**

Evelyn Birge Vitz, New York Univ.

***Plactus Universitatis Oxoniensis and the Affective Performativity of Lamentation***

Thomas Meacham, Univ. of Connecticut

***Everyman, the London Old Vic, and World War I***

Pamela M. King, Univ. of Glasgow

**Politics, Diplomacy, and the Hundred Years War**

Sponsor: Society of the White Hart

Organizer: Mark Arvanigian, California State Univ.–Fresno

Presider: George Stowe, LaSalle Univ.

**Richard II's Ambitions and the Events of 1396–97**

Mark Arvanigian

**The Duke of Clarence's Expedition to Guyenne in 1412–13**

Chris Given-Wilson, Univ. of St. Andrews

**Jeanne de Penthièvre and the Breton Civil War, 1341–1364**

Erika Graham-Goering, Univ. of York

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**Before/After Constantinus Africanus: Medicine in the Beneventan Zone and Beyond II**

Sponsor: Society for Beneventan Studies

Organizer: Richard F. Gyug, Fordham Univ.

Presider: Andrew J. M. Irving, Univ. of Notre Dame/Cologne Center for eHumanities

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**Constantine's *De genecia* Revisited: Women's Medicine at Monte Cassino**

Monica H. Green, Arizona State Univ.

**Constantine the African (d. ante 1098–99) and *Materia medica*: Translating Drugs and Recipes in the Work of Isaac Israeli (d. ca. 320/932)**

Raphaela Veit, Thomas-Institut, Univ. zu Köln

**Erosis: Constantine the African and the Literary Record**

Robin William Girard, Washington Univ. in St. Louis

**Disability and the Medieval Romance**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Disability in the Middle Ages

Organizer: Joshua R. Eyler, Rice Univ.

Presider: Kisha G. Tracy, Fitchburg State Univ.

**A Marvelous Lack: Infertility in *Sir Orfeo***

Isabel Stern, Rutgers Univ.

**Reading Perceval on the Autism Spectrum: Chrétien de Troyes's *Conte du graal* and the Uses and Perils of Diagnosis**

Brooke Heidenreich Findley, Pennsylvania State Univ.–Altoona

**Heurodis, Away with the Fairies: Mental Illness in *Sir Orfeo***

Joshua R. Eyler

**Malory's Nynve and the Gendered Dynamics of Lovesickness**

Tory Vandeventer Pearman, Miami Univ. Hamilton

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**Images on Edges I: Frames, Borders, Bodies**

Organizer: Jacqueline E. Jung, Yale Univ.

Presider: Jacqueline E. Jung

**Framing the Fragments: Images, Ekphrasis, Inscriptions on the Edges**

Anne E. Lester, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**The Matter in the Margins: Fourteenth-Century Reliquary Tabernacles**

Beth Williamson, Univ. of Bristol

**Transmission of Visual Knowledge in the Margins of MS Marciana, cod. gr. XI, 21 (coll. 453)**

Andrew Griebeler, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**The Fistulous Thresholds of John Coyle's Body**

Jack Hartnell, Columbia Univ.

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**Visualizing Medieval Connections: Network Analysis and Digital Mapping I**

Sponsor: Alabama Medieval Studies (ALMS)

Organizer: Kate M. Craig, Auburn Univ.; Leanne Good, Univ. of South Alabama

Presider: Kate M. Craig

**Power and Proximity: Mapping Late Tenth-Century Networks through Gerbert of Aurillac's Letters**

Courtney DeMayo, Heidelberg Univ.

***Ubi est thesaurus tuus, ibi est et cor tuum*: Spatial and Network Analysis of the Monastic Cartulary**

Leland Renato Grigoli, Brown Univ.

**Mapping Saint Catherine's: Place, Space, and Identity in Medieval Avignon**

Christine Axen, Boston Univ.

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**Early Medieval Europe III: Systems of Knowledge**

Sponsor: *Early Medieval Europe*

Organizer: Deborah M. Deliyannis, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington; Helmut Reimitz, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Hans Hummer, Wayne State Univ.

**"Lovely Like Helen": Paschasius Radbertus and Classical Inspirations for Carolingian Biblical Exegesis**

Owen M. Phelan, Mount St. Mary's Univ.

**God the Physician: Christian Apologetic and Medical Legitimacy in the Early Middle Ages**

Meg Leja, Binghamton Univ.

**The Art of Speech: Bishops and the Promotion of Rhetoric and Dialectic in Early Medieval Italy**

Giorgia Vocino, Univ. of Cambridge

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**Machaut in the South**

Sponsor: International Machaut Society

Organizer: Jared C. Hartt, Oberlin Conservatory of Music

Presider: Anne-Hélène Miller, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

**Machaut Gone South: Mobile Iconography**

Domenic Leo, Duquesne Univ.

**The Ferrell Manuscript (Vg) as a Document of Machaut Reception in the South**

Lawrence M. Earp, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Machaut Cited/Sighted in the South: A Performance of Musical Quotation**

Tamsyn Rose-Steel, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**Celebrations at Court in Medieval Iberia**

Sponsor: Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)

Organizer: Mark Evan Davis, Ohio Univ.

Presider: Anthony J. Grubbs, Michigan State Univ.

**Depictions of Courtly Celebrations in the Spanish Sentimental Romance:  
Codification of Identities and Society**

Rebeca Orellana, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**The Intersecting Worlds of Courtly Celebration in *Tirant lo Blanc***

Mark Evan Davis

**Burgundian Protocol in Castile: The Wedding of Margaret of Austria and Juan de Castilla (1497)**

Nancy F. Marino, Michigan State Univ.

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**Pros(e) and Cons: Anti-Magic Polemic I**

Sponsor: Societas Magica

Organizer: David Porreca, Univ. of Waterloo

Presider: David Porreca

**“Wie etlich ding natürlich sind und etlich von dem tüffel sind”: Johannes Hartlieb and the Demon Compulsion of the Saints**

Collin Brown, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**The Evolution of the “Witches’ Ointment” in Alonso Tostado’s Commentaries on Genesis and Matthew**

Thomas Hatsis, Independent Scholar

**Miracle or Magic? The Virgin’s Interventions in Two Magically Inclined Cantigas**

Veronica Menaldi, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

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**Sculpture and Its Potency I: Patronage and Performance**

Organizer: Julia Perratore, Metropolitan Museum of Art; Lloyd de Beer, British Museum

Presider: Lloyd de Beer

**“Every part was a mouth that spoke a language of its own”: The Speaking Surface of the Sculpted Body in Late Medieval Italian Crucifixes**

Peter Dent, Univ. of Bristol

**With This Ring: Charles V and “le varlet qui se maria l’ymage”**

Sarah M. Guérin, Univ. de Montréal

**When Idols are Not Idle: Iconoclasm, Agency, and the Virgin of Le Puy**

Elisa A. Foster, Texas Christian Univ.

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**Five Hundred Years of *Orlando Furioso***

Sponsor: Italians and Italianists at Kalamazoo  
Organizer: Karina Feliciano Attar, Queens College, CUNY  
Presider: Gloria Allaire, Univ. of Kentucky

**Ariosto's Hunting Ground**

Gael Montgomery, Miami Univ. of Ohio

**The Musical World of Ariosto**

Cathy Ann Elias, DePaul Univ.

**Ludovico Ariosto's Legacy: Inspiring Countless Artists, Playwrights, Novelists, Filmmakers, and Puppet Theater**

Linda C. McCabe, Author

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**The Long Lives of Medieval Objects, from Big to Small II: (Re)presentation**

Sponsor: AVISTA: The Association Villard de Honnecourt for the Interdisciplinary Study of Medieval Technology, Science, and Art  
Organizer: Jennifer M. Feltman, Univ. of West Florida; Sarah Thompson, Rochester Institute of Technology  
Presider: Sarah Thompson

**Resurrecting the Medieval Altar: Iberian Virgins on and off the Altar**

Maeve O'Donnell-Morales, Courtauld Institute of Art

**Patronage, Censorship, and Digital Repatriation: Excavating Layers of History in the Carrow Psalter**

Lynley Anne Herbert, Walters Art Museum

**The Parish Church of Notre-Dame de Louviers and the Production of Meaning in Late Gothic Architecture**

Kyle G. Sweeney, Rice Univ.

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**C. S. Lewis and the Middle Ages II: Lewis and Medieval Philosophy/Theology**

Sponsor: Center for the Study of C. S. Lewis and Friends, Taylor Univ.  
Organizer: Joe Ricke, Taylor Univ.  
Presider: Edwin Woodruff Tait, Christian History Magazine

**Divine Love: Evaluating Eros in Lewis through Bonaventure and Coakley**

Matthew Roberts, Abilene Christian Univ.

**Joining in the Great Dance: Stellar Ascents in C. S. Lewis's *That Hideous Strength***

N. E. H. Fayard, Univ. of Arkansas-Fayetteville

**Dante's Medieval Angels in the Ransom Trilogy**

Marsha Daigle-Williamson, Spring Arbor Univ.

**C. S. Lewis and Medieval Incarnationalist Theology**

Chris Armstrong, Wheaton College

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**The Early Irish Saints, Their Lives, and Their Monasteries**

Organizer: Brian Ó Broin, William Paterson Univ.  
Presider: Shannon O. Ambrose, St. Xavier Univ.

**Territory and Authority in the Lives of Irish Saints**

Máire Johnson, Emporia State Univ.

**The Influence of Early Irish Saints' Lives in the *Life of Cadroe***

Lane Springer, Univ. of Toronto

**Palladius, Patrick, and the Earliest Evidence for Irish Monastic Life**

Westley Follett, Univ. of Southern Mississippi

**The Role of the Church in the Expansion of the Early Medieval Economy in Ireland, A.D. 400–1100**

Paul Stevens, Univ. College Dublin

**Loving and Hating Lydgate**

Sponsor: Lydgate Society  
Organizer: Alaina Bupp, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder  
Presider: Matthew Evan Davis, Independent Scholar

**Loving Lydgate (and Hating Chaucer): The Manuscript Evidence**

Mary Wellesley, Univ. College London

***Fortuna Metri*: Grammar, Rhythm, and the Reception of Lydgate's Prosody**

Nicholas Myklebust, Regis Univ.

**Lydgate and Joseph Ritson**

Timothy R. Jordan, Ohio Univ.–Zanesville/Zane State College

**The Rise and Fall of Princes: Catalysts for John Lydgate's Reception**

Christene D'Anca, Pierce College

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**Crossing Boundaries: The Movement of Manuscripts and Printed Books**

Sponsor: Early Book Society  
Organizer: Martha W. Driver, Pace Univ.  
Presider: Thomas Hahn, Univ. of Rochester

**Hildegard of Bingen's *Liber divinorum operum*: From a Scribe's Hand to Monastic, University, and Digital Libraries**

Jane E. Jeffrey, West Chester Univ.

**Local Problems, Universal Solutions, and a Lost Book: Rhenish Reform Texts in Twelfth-Century Flanders**

Sarah M. Spalding, Marymount Univ.

**Crossed Boundaries: The *Confessio amantis* Goes to Africa**

Ana Sáez Hidalgo, Univ. de Valladolid

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**Working with Manuscript Fragments**

Sponsor: Beinecke Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Yale Univ.  
Organizer: Elizabeth K. Hebbard, Yale Univ.; Raymond Clemens, Yale Univ.  
Presider: Elizabeth K. Hebbard

**Keep the Fragments Alive: Manuscripts Rescue Practices: An Example of the Eighteenth Century**

Delphine Demelas, Aix-Marseille Univ.

**Manuscript Fragments as Archival Objects**

Elizabeth-Anne Johnson, Univ. of Manitoba

**"Here Endyght Chauceris Tale": Framing Chaucer's False Fragment**

Gina Marie Hurley, Yale Univ.

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**A Session of Ice and Fire: Medievalism in the *Game of Thrones* Franchise**

Sponsor: Tales after Tolkien Society  
Organizer: Helen Young, La Trobe Univ.  
Presider: Geoffrey B. Elliott, Oklahoma State Univ.

**Forging and Reforging Valyrian Steel: The Role of Arthurian Sword Motifs in George R.R. Martin's *A Song of Ice and Fire***

Alexandra Garner, Bowling Green State Univ.

**Peaceweaving in Westeros**

Carol Parrish Jamison, Armstrong State Univ.

**Dragons, Alliances, Power, and Gold: Disruptor Beam's *Game of Thrones* Ascent**

Shiloh R. Carroll, Tennessee State Univ.

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**Hildegard von Bingen: Bridges to Infinity**

Sponsor: International Society of Hildegard von Bingen Studies  
Organizer: Pozzi Escot, New England Conservatory  
Presider: Conrad Herold, Hofstra Univ.

**Hildegard von Bingen's Concept of Truth compared to Saint Augustine's Analysis of the Nature of Truth**

Bern Manoushagian, Pers Press

**What Is the Soul of a Man**

Alice Gebura, Independent Scholar

**Hildegard's Paintings Today**

Francesca Ulivi, Independent Scholar

**Body as Bridge/Body as Barrier: Subjectivity and Metaphor in Hildegard's *Scivias***

Abigail Owen, Univ. of Toronto

**Sacred Geometry: The Visions of Hildegard von Bingen, from *Liber divinorum operum*, compared with Native American Indian Spirituality**

Gwendolyn Morgan, Le Moyne College

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**The Functions and Dysfunctions of the Medieval and Renaissance Family I: Royal Families under Stress**

Sponsor: Rocky Mountain Medieval and Renaissance Association  
Organizer: Thomas P. Klein, Idaho State Univ.  
Presider: Thomas P. Klein

**Kinship, Friendship, and Family in the Anglo-Norman Royalty from 1080 to 1135**

Kimberly A. Klimek, Metropolitan State Univ. of Denver

**Bad Blood: Patrilineal Inheritance and the Body of the Heir in William of Palerne**

Angela Florschuetz, Cheyney Univ.

**A Royal Pain: Louis XI, Charles of France, and the (Mis)Uses of Brotherhood**

Cameron W. Bradley, Macalester College

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**The Prince Bishops of Durham and the Balancing of Their Worlds: Politics, Diplomacy—and Faith?**

Sponsor: Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York  
Organizer: Dee Dyas, Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York  
Presider: Dee Dyas

**"Addicted to Feasts and Carousals and Lusts": Bishop Ranulf Flambard's Career Reconsidered**

Louise Hampson, Centre for the Study of Christianity and Culture, Univ. of York



**Hugh de Puiset and the Saints of Durham**

Lauren Whitnah, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

**“A Foxe Indeed!”: Bishop Richard Foxe, Builder, Statesman, Rebel?**

Christopher Ferguson, Auckland Castle Trust

**Issues in Metaphysics, Logic, and Epistemology in Medieval Philosophy**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy

Organizer: Jason Aleksander, St. Xavier Univ.

Presider: Jason Aleksander

**Aquinas on Secondary Causation**

Julie Swanstrom, Armstrong State Univ.

**Analogy Problems in Primitive Thomism: The Solutions of Hervaeus Natalis and Thomas Sutton**

Domenic D’Ettore, Marian Univ.

**The Third Mode of Equivocation in Ockham’s Mental Language**

Milo Crimi, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

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**Teaching Queens and Kings**

Sponsor: TEAMS (The Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages)

Organizer: Thomas A. Goodmann, Univ. of Miami; Carol L. Robinson, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull

Presider: Bonnie Wheeler, Southern Methodist Univ.

**Teaching the Original Odd Couple: Charlemagne and Irene**

Julie Harper Elb, Westminster Schools

**The King Is Dead: Teaching Shakespeare and the Loss of the Medieval**

Peter Byrne, Kent State Univ.–Trumbull

**Real Queens, Drag Queens, Other Queens: Sovereignty, Performance, and the Wife of Bath**

Carol L. Robinson and Daniel-Raymond Nadon, Kent State Univ.

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**Medieval Women Authors as Collaborators: Negotiating Authority and Authorship for Writers and Readers**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, St. Louis Univ.

Organizer: Cait Stevenson, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Kathleen Llewellyn, St. Louis Univ.

**Beyond Patronage: The Case for Queenly Co-Authorship of the Castilian Royal Chronicles**

Janice North, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville

**The Letters of Margaret Paston: Are They Collaborative Works and How**

Osamu Ohara, School of Medicine, Jikei Univ.

**Let’s Build a Saint: Writing the Contested Sanctity of Magdalena**

Cait Stevenson

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### Sound, Noise, Silence

Organizer: Jordan L. Zweck, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Presider: Jordan L. Zweck

#### Listening to the *Vox Confusa*: Poetic Noise in Chaucer's *House of Fame*

Adin Esther Lears, SUNY–Oswego

#### "Dicit aliquod verbum, dicit Gae": Bede's Depiction of the Social and Psychological Experience of Total Speech Impairment in Anglo-Saxon England

Karen Bruce Wallace, Ohio State Univ.

#### Sound, Silence, and the Sense of Hearing in Old English Medical Texts

Lori Ann Garner, Rhodes College

#### Sound as Social Text in Anglo-Saxon England

Martin K. Foys, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

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### Outsiders to the Anchorhold, or, Degrees of Enclosure

Sponsor: International Anchoritic Society

Organizer: Michelle M. Sauer, Univ. of North Dakota

Presider: Jennifer N. Brown, Marymount Manhattan College

#### Enclosed Merely in Name? Le Murate's Gradual "Unwalling"

Rachel C. S. Duke, Florida State Univ.

#### The Importance of the Maidservants of Anchoresses in *Ancrene Wisse*

Hwanhee Park, Incheon National Univ.

#### Rhetorical Friends for Medieval Solitaries

R. Jacob McDonie, Univ. of Texas–Rio Grande Valley

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### The Gender-Free Being

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)

Organizer: Phoebe C. Linton, Univ. of Edinburgh

Presider: Phoebe C. Linton

#### "Dex saut et benëie lo con o tot sa compeignie!": The Subject of Genitals and Genital Subjects in the *Fabliaux*

Alice Hazard, King's College London

#### Power, Acceptability, and Gender Subversion in the Middle English Fairy-Mistresses Romances

Jane E. Bonsall, Univ. of Edinburgh

#### Ragnarocking: Gender, Medievalism, and Performance in Viking Metal

Jessica Dambruch, Old Dominion Univ.

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### Textual Science: Digital Recovery of Manuscripts and of Cultural Heritage Objects

Sponsor: Early Manuscripts Electronic Library

Organizer: Michael B. Phelps, Early Manuscripts Electronic Library

Presider: Lindy Brady, Univ. of Mississippi

#### Spectral Image Collection and Processing for Historical Manuscripts

Roger L. Easton, Jr., Rochester Institute of Technology

#### Textual Science for the Working Medievalist

Gregory Heyworth, Univ. of Mississippi

#### New Light on Henricus Martellus's World Map at Yale (ca. 1491):

#### Multispectral Imaging and Early Renaissance Cartography

Chet Van Duzer, Lazarus Project/Univ. of Mississippi

**The Sinai Palimpsests Project: The Recovery of Erased Texts in the World's Oldest Library**

Michael B. Phelps

**Law and Legal Culture in Anglo-Saxon England: Sessions in Memory of Lisi Oliver I**

Sponsor: Medieval-Renaissance Faculty Workshop, Univ. of Louisville  
Organizer: Andrew Rabin, Univ. of Louisville  
Presider: Elaine M. Treharne, Stanford Univ.

***Qui brecht ungewaldes, betan gewaldes: Proverbs in the Anglo-Saxon Laws***

Rolf H. Bremmer, Jr., Univ. Leiden

**Problems of Gender in the Oldest Anglo-Saxon Laws**

Daniela Fruscione, Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Univ. Frankfurt am Main

**Wulfstan's Werewolves: English Custom, Canon Law, and Continental Sources**

Jay Paul Gates, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY

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**Elemental Approaches III: Water I**

Sponsor: Environmental History Network for the Middle Ages (ENFORMA)  
Organizer: Ellen F. Arnold, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.  
Presider: Paolo Squatriti, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**The Violence of the Sea: Maritime Ports and Coastal Change in Medieval England**

Roberta Magnusson, Univ. of Oklahoma

**Flowing Power: Cooperative Power Structures in the Customs of Romney Marsh**

Thomas Hryn timer, Fordham Univ.

**Many Waters: Governing the Environment of Late Medieval Valencia**

Abigail Agresta, Yale Univ.

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**The Afterlives of Bede**

Sponsor: Sources of Anglo-Saxon Culture  
Organizer: Benjamin Weber, Princeton Univ.  
Presider: Benjamin Weber

**The Voice of Bede in the Wake of the Benedictine Reform**

M. Breanne Leake, Univ. of Connecticut

**Finding Bede in the Lindisfarne Gospels: Aldred the Scribe and "Beda ðe Broema Boecere"**

Christopher Robert John Scheirer, Medieval Institute, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Phantoms of Bede's *Historia ecclesiastica***

Sharon M. Rowley, Christopher Newport Univ.

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**Medieval Sermon Studies II: Images, Exempla, Rhetoric: What Sermons Reveal**

Sponsor: International Medieval Sermon Studies Society  
Organizer: Holly Johnson, Mississippi State Univ.  
Presider: Eileen Kearney, St. Xavier Univ.

**Marked by the Cross: The Theological Tradition behind Innocent III's Call for the Crusade at the Fourth Lateran Council**

C. Matthew Phillips, Concordia Univ. Nebraska

**Violent Men and Malleable Women: Gender and the Conversion of Jews in Sermon Exempla**

Jacob Lackner, Univ. of Oklahoma

**"Anglice": Integrating English into Oxford, MS Bodley 649**

Helena Halmari, Sam Houston State Univ.

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**Ordering Matter: Hierarchies of Material and Medium in Medieval Art**

Organizer: Joseph Salvatore Ackley, Columbia Univ.; Adam R. Stead, Western Univ.

Presider: Joseph Salvatore Ackley and Adam R. Stead

**"Between Angels and Men": The Status of Engraving**

Megan C. McNamee, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Vibrant Treasure: Material Agency in the Treasury Collection of San Marco in Venice**

Mark H. Summers, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Painting the Sculptural Body on Trecento Crosses**

Karl Whittington, Ohio State Univ.

**From Gold to Azure: An Upheaval in the Hierarchy of Material Linked to the Evolution of the Painter's Condition in Western Europe, Thirteenth to Fifteenth Centuries**

Sophie Brouquet, Univ. of Toulouse-Jean Jaurès

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**Hagiography II: Asia**

Presider: Sara Hakeem Grewal, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Understanding the Narrative Strategies in the Medieval Śrīvaiṣṇava Hagiographies of Rāmānuja**

Bharati Jagannathan, Miranda House

**Sikh Hagiography: Participation and Pedagogy through the Janam-Sakhi Narratives**

Toby Braden Johnson, Univ. of California–Riverside

**A Hagiography among Friends: The Persian Memorial Diary in Mughal India and Safavid Iran**

Nathan L. M. Tabor, Western Michigan Univ.

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***The Riverside Chaucer*: In Memory of Larry D. Benson (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: *Chaucer Review*; Harvard Medieval Colloquium

Organizer: Susanna Fein, Kent State Univ.; Nicholas Watson, Harvard Univ.; Daniel Donoghue, Harvard Univ.

Presider: Susanna Fein

**Larry Benson and the *Riverside Chaucer***

C. David Benson, Univ. of Connecticut

**Editing *The House of Fame* for the *Riverside Chaucer***

John M. Fyler, Tufts Univ.

***The Riverside Chaucer* and Liberal Criticism**

Andrew Taylor, Univ. of Ottawa

**Teaching Chaucer Online: The Future of Larry Benson's Chaucer Website**

Daniel Donoghue; Joey McMullen, Harvard Univ.; Helen Cushman, Harvard Univ.

**Christine and Moral Conduct**

Sponsor: International Christine de Pizan Society, North American Branch

Organizer: Benjamin M. Semple, Gonzaga Univ.

Presider: Benjamin M. Semple

**“Et si bien ordonnees / D’etre ainsi a servir dieu donnees”**

Kandace Brill Lombart, Independent Scholar

***Sage en Fait: Morals and Manners in Le Livre des trois vertus a l’enseignement des dames***

Margaret M. Gower, Loyola Marymount Univ.

**The Clarion Call to Virtue: Contrasts and Comparisons concerning the Medieval Moral Voice and Twenty-First-Century Cries for Logic and Peace**

Vickie Mann, Indiana Univ. Southeast

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**Medieval Sculpture**

Presider: Mary D. Edwards, Pratt Institute

**Visualizing “Access” to the Divine in Medieval French Churches and Indian Hindu Temples**

Gamble L. Madsen, Monterey Peninsula College

**Some Considerations about the Iconography of Two Romanesque Reliefs from the Cathedral in Split**

Ivana Čapeta Rakić, Univ. of Split

**Fake History, Real Piety, and the Abbey Church of Drübeck**

Shirin Fozi, Univ. of Pittsburgh

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**The Crusades at Home: Roots, Impact, and Cultural Significance of the Crusades in France and Occitania I**

Sponsor: Marco Institute for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

Organizer: Thomas Lecaue, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

Presider: Simon Parsons, Royal Holloway, Univ. of London

**Remaking Romanitas: Raymond of Saint-Gilles as the Last Roman Emperor**

Thomas Lecaue

**Imagining the Holy City: Troubadour Depictions of Jerusalem during the Crusades, 1100–1300**

Lauren Mulholland, Queen Mary, Univ. of London

**“Straight Through from the Beginning”: Reading, Devotion, and Paris, BnF lat. 5135A**

Bradley Phillis, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

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**Anglo-Norman Identity: Material and Memorial Culture**

Sponsor: Centre for Catholic Studies, Durham Univ.  
Organizer: Stephanie Britton, Durham Univ.  
Presider: Sigbjørn Olsen Sønnesyn, Durham Univ.

**Memory and Identity at Canterbury: The Written Record**

Stephanie Britton

**Many Lords, Many Kings: Architectural and Sculptural Visualizations of Anglo-Norman Lordship**

Jonathan Turnock, Durham Univ.

**A Man of Many Faces? Orderic Vitalis and the *Historia ecclesiastica***

Tom Powles, Univ. of York

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3:00–4:00 p.m.

**COFFEE SERVICE**

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and Fetzer

**Saturday, May 14**

**3:30–5:00 p.m.**

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**Medieval Translation Theory and Practice II (A Practicum)**

Organizer: Jeanette Beer, Univ. of Oxford  
Presider: Jeanette Beer

**Translating the Icelandic Sagas**

Arni Blandon Einarsson, Fjölbrautaskóli Suðurlands

**Translating the *Roman de Troie***

Maud Burnett McNerney, Haverford College

**Translating Medieval Philosophy**

Denys Turner, Yale Univ.

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**“Crippling” the Middle Ages: What Disability Studies Can Do for Medieval Studies and Vice Versa (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Disability in the Middle Ages  
Organizer: Joshua R. Eyler, Rice Univ.  
Presider: Joshua R. Eyler

A roundtable discussion with Dani Alexis Ryskamp, Western Michigan Univ.; John P. Sexton, Bridgewater State Univ.; Wendy J. Turner, Augusta Univ.; and Elizabeth Wawrzyniak, Marquette Univ.

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**Performances of Marie de France**

Sponsor: International Marie de France Society  
Organizer: Ann McCullough, Middle Tennessee State Univ.  
Presider: Ann McCullough

Performances by Tamara Bentley Caudill, Tulane Univ.; Chris Treen, Independent Scholar; Ronald Cook, Independent Scholar; Walter A. Blue, Hamline Univ.; and Simonetta Cochis, Transylvania Univ.

Saturday 3:30 p.m.

### **Places and Spaces in the *Pearl*-Poems**

Sponsor: *Pearl*-Poet Society  
Organizer: Kara Larson Maloney, Binghamton Univ.  
Presider: Kara Larson Maloney

#### **“Swythe hit swange thurgh uch a strete”: Water Imagery in *Pearl***

Kristin Bovaird-Abbo, Univ. of Northern Colorado

#### **The Walled City of *Pearl***

William M. Storm, Eastern Univ.

#### **Spaces and Places in the *Pearl*: “Fro spot my spryt [spirit] ther sprang in space [into the sky]”**

Jean E. Jost, Bradley Univ.

#### **A Platonic Division between Heaven and Earth in *Cleanness***

Matt Brumit, Univ. of Dallas

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Garneau  
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### **Augustine on the Body: Metaphysical, Biblical, and Empirical Approaches**

Organizer: Marianne Djuth, Canisius College  
Presider: Marianne Djuth

#### **“An Obedient Servant to Some People . . . beyond the Normal Limitations of Nature” (*De civ. dei* 14.24): Augustine and the Extreme Body**

Nancy Weatherwax, Western Michigan Univ.

#### **Two Images of God: Augustine on Male/Female Equality in Human Substance**

Robert N. Parks, Univ. of Dayton

#### **Augustine’s S.O.S.**

Thomas Losoncy, Villanova Univ.

#### **Augustine’s Early Understanding of the Body**

Thomas Clemmons, Univ. of Notre Dame

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### **French Literature of the Twelfth Century**

Presider: Caroline Jewers, Univ. of Kansas

#### **Toward a Minor Medieval: Deleuze, Guattari, and the Rebel Barons**

Geneviève Young, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

#### **An Ecocritical Reading of Bérout’s *Tristan***

Osarodion Israel Eweka, Univ. of Benin

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Ackley  
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### **Philosophy of Saint Thomas Aquinas III: Love and the Good**

Sponsor: Center for Thomistic Studies, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Organizer: Steven J. Jensen, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston  
Presider: Mary Catherine Sommers, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston

#### **The Objective Relativity of Goodness: A Rapprochement between Peter Geach and Thomas Aquinas**

Catherine Peters, Univ. of St. Thomas, Houston

#### **Avital Wohlman and the Existence of Love of Friendship at the Sub-rational Level**

Jordan Olver, St. Thomas More College

#### **Does Taste Matter for Thomists?**

Margaret I. Hughes, College of Mount St. Vincent

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Saturday 3:30 p.m.

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### **Digital Manuscripts: Engaging the Public(s)**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Stanford Univ.  
Organizer: Fiona Griffiths, Stanford Univ.  
Presider: Benjamin L. Albritton, Stanford Univ.

### **Digging Deeper with Online Communities**

Kenneth S. Ligda, Stanford Univ., and Jonathan Quick, Stanford Univ.

### **A Twitter Account on the Fly: Medieval Manuscripts (et Cetera) and Outreach**

Katharine C. Chandler, Free Library of Philadelphia

### **I Tweet the Fall of Princes and Kings: @MonkofBury, Digital Manuscripts, and Public Engagement in Medieval Studies**

Bridget Whearty, Binghamton Univ.

### **Digital Manuscripts and Social Media: Problems and Possibilities**

Erik Kwakkel, Univ. Leiden

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### **Images on Edges II: Portals and Passages**

Organizer: Jacqueline E. Jung, Yale Univ.  
Presider: Jacqueline E. Jung

### **Images on the Edge: The Archivolts of Saint-Ours in Loches**

Susan Leibacher Ward, Rhode Island School of Design

### **The Vegetal Frame in French Church Design**

Mailan S. Doquang, Princeton Univ.

### **Puns and Portraits: Early Medieval Threshold Architecture in India**

Deborah Stein, Independent Scholar

### **Bystanding, Passing-by, and the Christian Vocational Image**

Mitchell B. Merback, Johns Hopkins Univ.

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### **Linguistic Approaches to Medieval Languages**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Languages and Linguistics  
Organizer: Andrew C. Troup, California State Univ.–Bakersfield  
Presider: Paul A. Johnston, Jr., Western Michigan Univ.

### **Compound Relative Pronouns in *Beowulf* and *Andreas***

Andrew C. Troup

### **Reconstructing the Medieval Francoprovençal Vowel Space**

Eric Beuerlein, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

### **Technical Vocabulary and Medieval Romance: A Semantic Field Approach**

Louise Sylvester, Univ. of Westminster

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### **Cistercians in Central Europe**

Sponsor: Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.  
Organizer: Susan M. B. Steuer, Western Michigan Univ.  
Presider: Marsha L. Dutton, Ohio Univ.

### **The *Speculum confessionis* attributed to Stephen of Stanslaw: Monastic and Scholastic Confession in the Thirteenth Century**

Tristan Sharp, Newman Theological College

### **A Brief History of Wonnental Abbey O.Cist. (1242–1806)**

Cornelia Oefelein, St. Jakobus-Gesellschaft Berlin-Brandenburg

### **Cistercian Exegesis of the Twelfth Century: Study of Selected Writings and Visual Correlates**

Dariusz Tabor, Univ. Papieski Jana Pawła II w Krakowie



### **Rolls and Scrolls after the Codex: New Approaches to an Old Technology**

Sponsor: Beinecke Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Yale Univ.  
Organizer: Katherine Hindley, Yale Univ.; Anya Adair, Yale Univ.; Gina Marie Hurley, Yale Univ.  
Presider: Raymond Clemens, Yale Univ.

### **Praying in Gold: Luxury Scrolls of the Office of Holy Communion**

Stefanos Alexopoulos, Catholic Univ. of America, and Robert S. Nelson, Yale Univ.

### **“Nor thunder nor lightnyng, slepyng ne waking, ne wyndys ne blastys on londe ne water”: Separating Birth Girdles, Charms, and Prayer Rolls**

Katherine Hindley  
*Edwards Memorial Travel Award Winner*

### **Unrolling the “Ripley Scrolls”: Alchemy, Art, and Patronage in Fifteenth-Century England**

Jennifer M. Rampling, Princeton Univ.

### **Sidneian Networks: Medieval to Post-modern**

Sponsor: International Sidney Society  
Organizer: Nandra Perry, Texas A&M Univ.  
Presider: Ilona Bell, Williams College

### **Liberating Astrophel: Nashe’s Preface as a Reader’s Response**

Elisabeth Chaghafi, Eberhard Karls Univ. Tübingen

### **George Herbert’s “Sighes and Groines”: A Sidneian Penitential Psalm?**

Patricia H. Ward, College of Charleston

### **Poetics and Epistemology in Philip Sidney’s *Defense of Poetry and Astrophil and Stella*, or, How Sidney Read His Cavendish?**

Nicole Hagstrom-Schmidt, Texas A&M Univ.

### **Making Time/Making Space: Temporality in Medieval and Renaissance Drama**

Sponsor: Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS)  
Organizer: Jill Stevenson, Marymount Manhattan College  
Presider: Jill Stevenson

### **“Why, how long shall he live?”: Making Time for Murder in *Arden of Faversham***

Dori Coblentz, Emory Univ.

### **Reading as Performance and Reading the Performance of *Labyrinthe royal de l’Hercule gaulois triumpphant*: Representing the *Représenté***

Daniel Ruppel, Brown Univ.

### **Redundancy, Metaphor, and Memory: Experience of Space and Time in Medieval Christian Theater**

Christopher Swift, New York City College of Technology, CUNY

### **A Violent Spatializing of Time: Colonizing Utopian Imaginaries in Seventeenth-Century Barbados**

Scott Venters, Univ. of Washington–Seattle

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### **The White Hart Lecture**

Sponsor: Society of the White Hart  
Organizer: Mark Arvanigian, California State Univ.–Fresno  
Presider: Douglas L. Biggs, Univ. of Nebraska–Kearney

### **New Insights into the Reign of Richard II**

Michael Bennett, Univ. of Tasmania

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### **Compunction and Empathy in Anglo-Saxon England**

Presider: June-Ann Greeley, Sacred Heart Univ.

### **Drythelm's Vision of Gregory's Compunction: An Emotional Geography**

Erik A. Carlson, Univ. of Arkansas–Fort Smith

### **Empathy at the End of Time: Feeling with the Damned in Napier XXIX**

Katherine Rose Norcross, Univ. of Illinois–Urbana-Champaign

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### **New Perspectives on Catherine of Siena and Her Female Contemporaries**

Sponsor: Vernacular Devotional Cultures Group  
Organizer: Catherine Annette Gris , McMaster Univ.  
Presider: Stephanie Amsel, Southern Methodist Univ.

### ***Sponsa Hominis et Sponsa Christi*: Sacramental Marriage and the Bride of Christ**

Chelsea Skalak, Dickinson College

### ***The Orchard of Syon* and Native English Mystics**

Carol F. Heffernan, Rutgers Univ.–Newark

### **Catherine and Her "Figlie" as Women Writers**

Lisa Vitale, Southern Connecticut State Univ.

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### **Dress and Textiles I: Dress in Transition, Late Medieval to Early Modern**

Sponsor: DISTAFF (Discussion, Interpretation, and Study of Textile Arts, Fabrics, and Fashion)  
Organizer: Robin Netherton, DISTAFF  
Presider: Gale R. Owen-Crocker, Univ. of Manchester

### **The "Bal des Sauvages" Tapestry at the Chateau of Saumur: A Fifteenth-Century French Fashion Show**

Lorraine Kochanske Stock, Univ. of Houston

### **Evolution of the Tudor "Gabled" Bonnet as Depicted on Church Monuments, ca. 1500–1560**

Challe Hudson, Independent Scholar

### **The Merchant's Hat: Beaver Fur in Medieval and Early Modern Europe**

Elizabeth McFadden, Univ. of California–Berkeley

### **Techniques for Manufacturing Aiglets in Sixteenth-Century England: Comparisons and Conjecture**

Gerald A. Livings, Independent Scholar

***Ritus, Artes, Musica: A Session in Honor of Nils Holger Peterson***

Organizer: Amy S. Kaufman, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

Presider: Richard Utz, Georgia Institute of Technology

**A Vigil for Thomas Becket: Nils Holger Petersen's Canterbury Pilgrimage**

Kathleen Verduin, Hope College

**Medievalist Good Will and the Christmas Carol Tradition**

Clare A. Simmons, Ohio State Univ.

**Dramatic Elements in Medieval Liturgical Poetry**

Gunilla Iversen, Stockholms Univ.

**Liturgy, Drama, and Liturgical Drama**

Michael L. Norton, James Madison Univ.

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**Visualizing Medieval Connections: Network Analysis and Digital Mapping II**

Sponsor: Alabama Medieval Studies (ALMS)

Organizer: Kate M. Craig, Auburn Univ.; Leanne Good, Univ. of South Alabama

Presider: Leanne Good

**Commodity Flows: Combining Least Cost Path and Network Analysis Techniques for Modeling Early Medieval Trade Relations in East Central Europe**

Donat Wehner, Christian-Albrechts-Univ. zu Kiel

**Exploring Economic Networks in the Medieval Peloponnese, Greece (Eleventh–Twelfth Centuries)**

Katerina Ragkou, Univ. zu Köln

**Grassroots Heresy: Towards Social Mapping of German Waldensian Communities, 1390–1400**

Eugene Smelyansky, St. Thomas Univ.

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**Machaut on Page and Screen**

Sponsor: International Machaut Society

Organizer: Jared C. Hartt, Oberlin Conservatory of Music

Presider: Jared C. Hartt

**Rhythmic Organization and the Potential for Flexibility in Digital Encodings of Machaut's Music**

Karen Desmond, McGill Univ.

**Remembering and Forgetting Charles of Navarre in the Pages of Machaut's *Confort d'amy***

Rachel Geer, Univ. of Virginia

**The Hidden Message in Guillaume de Machaut's Manuscript A**

Stefan Udell, Univ. of Toronto

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**Debating Medieval Iberia: Competition, Argument, and Exchange of Ideas**

Sponsor: Ibero-Medieval Association of North America (IMANA)  
Organizer: Maureen Russo-Rodríguez, Schreiner Univ.  
Presider: Maureen Russo-Rodríguez

**Hounds or Hawks? The Debate on Nobility in the *Libro de Montería* (Alfonso XI) and *Libro de la caza* (Juan Manuel)**

Jonathan Burgoyne, Ohio State Univ.

**Lover's Quarrels: Debating Love and Power in Juan de Flores's *Triunfo de amor***

Montserrat Piera, Temple Univ.

**"Movido por este buen zelo": Religious Debate in Juan Manuel's Works**

Anita Savo, Colby College

**"El Pleyto del manto" and the Legal Burlesque**

Frank A. Domínguez, Univ. of North Carolina–Chapel Hill

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**Benedictines and Victorines**

Sponsor: American Benedictine Academy  
Organizer: Hugh Bernard Feiss, OSB, Monastery of the Ascension  
Presider: Hugh Bernard Feiss, OSB

**Visualizing Exegesis in an Image of Hugh of Saint-Victor**

Shana E. Thompson, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**The Victorines and the Rule of Saint Benedict in Medieval Dublin: The Evidence of Trinity College Dublin MS 97**

Colmán Ó Clabaibh, OSB, Boston College/Glenstal Abbey

**Chrétien de Troyes, *Erec et Enide*, and the *Quattuor gradibus violentae caritatis* of Richard of Saint-Victor**

Arabella Milbank, Emmanuel College, Univ. of Cambridge

**A Monk Expounds upon Knighthood: Alexander Barclay and Saint Geroge**

A. Compton Reeves, Ohio Univ.

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**Sculpture and Its Potency II: Speech, Song, Prayer**

Organizer: Julia Perratore, Metropolitan Museum of Art; Lloyd de Beer, British Museum  
Presider: Julia Perratore

**Devotional Performance and the Opportunity for Play in Medieval Cloister Sculpture**

Peter Scott Brown, Univ. of North Florida

**Singing, Shouting, Thundering: Voice in the Portal of Santa Maria de Ripoll**

Matthew J. Westerby, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Speaking Statues**

Kim Woods, Open Univ.

**Pros(e) and Cons: Anti-Magic Polemic II**

Sponsor: Societas Magica  
Organizer: David Porreca, Univ. of Waterloo  
Presider: Frank Klaassen, Univ. of Saskatchewan

**Lived Magic and the Uses of Anti-Magical Rhetoric: John of Morigny and Milarepa**

Claire Fanger, Rice Univ.

**Portrayal of the Magician in the Polemics of Emperor Zār'a Ya'eqob of Ethiopia**

Augustine Dickinson, Univ. of Waterloo

***Sed Contra: Arguments in Favor of Magic in the Picatrix***

David Porreca

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**The Long Lives of Medieval Objects, from Big to Small III: Reception**

Sponsor: AVISTA: The Association Villard de Honnecourt for the Interdisciplinary Study of Medieval Technology, Science, and Art  
Organizer: Jennifer M. Feltman, Univ. of West Florida; Sarah Thompson, Rochester Institute of Technology  
Presider: Jennifer M. Feltman

**The Victory Cross Redux: Politics and Medieval Art in the Aftermath of the Spanish Civil War**

Matilde Mateo, Syracuse Univ.

**The Magdeburger Reiter in Modern Germany**

William Diebold, Reed College

**The Fate of the Bronze Doors of Benevento Cathedral during and after World War II**

Cathleen Hoeniger, Queen's Univ. Kingston

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**In Fashions Reminiscent: The Overlapping Objects, Discourses, and Ideas of the Sixties and the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: punctum books  
Organizer: Geoffrey W. Gust, Stockton Univ.; John F. O'Hara, Stockton Univ.; Eileen A. Joy, BABEL Working Group  
Presider: Geoffrey W. Gust, John F. O'Hara, and Eileen A. Joy

**Chaucer in the Stoned Age**

Candace Barrington, Central Connecticut State Univ.

**Trees Again: Time Travel with Plants**

Lara Farina, West Virginia Univ.

**Medievalism and the End(s) of Empire in 1960s Science Fiction: Frank Herbert's *Dune* and Ursula K. Le Guin's *The Left Hand of Darkness***

Scott Wells, California State Univ.-Los Angeles

**Sounds of Silence: Popular Existentialism and Medieval Autofiction**

Christopher Jensen, Florida State Univ.

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**Crossroads of Medieval Languages and Literature: Results of the NEH Summer Seminar in the Irish Sea Cultural Province (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: M. Wendy Hennequin, Tennessee State Univ.

Presider: Charles W. MacQuarrie, California State Univ.–Bakersfield

**Report on Old English and Germanic Projects**

Brian Cook, Univ. of Mississippi, and Marc Pierce, Univ. of Texas–Austin

**Report on Old Irish Projects**

Ethel B. Bowden, Central Maine Community College, and Stephen M.

Kershner, Austin Peay State Univ.

**Report on Old Welsh Projects**

Leslie Jacoby, San José State Univ.

**Report on Middle English Projects**

Donna Crawford, Virginia State Univ., and Rhonda Knight, Coker College

**Report on Material Culture Projects**

Tracey-Anne Cooper, St. John's Univ., and Helen Davies, Univ. of Mississippi

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**Classical Influences in Dante**

Organizer: Filippa Modesto, Brooklyn College, CUNY

Presider: Alison Cornish, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Refiguring the Lethe: Reworking the *Aeneid's* Time and Space in the *Divina Commedia***

Jessica Roberts, Univ. of Georgia

***Inferno* XXXIII: A Poetical Reminiscence**

Aniello Di Iorio, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

**Classical Nautical Metaphors and the Authority of Beatrice “Ammiraglio” in Dante’s *Commedia***

Catherine Adoyo, West Minster Choir College

**Classical Friendship and Dante**

Filippa Modesto

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**Networks of Reading in the Later Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Early Book Society

Organizer: Martha W. Driver, Pace Univ.

Presider: Martha W. Driver

**Patrons, Religious Houses, and the C Text of *Piers Plowman***

Michael Madrinkian, Univ. of Oxford

**Networks of Reading *The Scale of Perfection***

Michael G. Sargent, Queens College and Graduate Center, CUNY

**Saint Bridget in the North: A Dialectical Analysis of MS Cotton Claudius B.I**

Jessica C. Brown, Arizona State Univ.

**New Worlds and Networks of Reading in Early Sixteenth-Century Europe**

Thomas Hahn, Univ. of Rochester

### **Illuminated Manuscripts**

Presider: Diane Warne Anderson, Univ. of Massachusetts–Boston

#### **Materiality and Exegetical Connections in the Codex Amiatinus Maiestas Domini**

Peter Darby, Univ. of Nottingham

#### **A Book Written Inside and Out: Illustrating Providential History in the León Bible of 960**

Krysta Black-Mazumdar, Independent Scholar

#### **Manuscripts of Beatus on the Apocalypse in the Beneventan Zone**

Francis Newton, Duke Univ.

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### **Dead Language Flying Karaoke (A Performance and Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Institute for Medieval Studies, Univ. of New Mexico

Organizer: Doaa Omran, Univ. of New Mexico; Sally Hany Abed, Univ. of Utah

Presider: Geoffrey Richard Russom, Brown Univ.

#### ***Beowulf***

Richard Ford Burley, Boston College, and Robert Stanton, Boston College

#### ***Waltharius***

Thomas R. Leek, Univ. of Wisconsin–Stevens Point

#### **Selections from Arabic Flying Poetry**

Doaa Omran and Sally Hany Abed

#### ***Lokasenna***

Adam Oberlin, Atlanta International School

#### ***The Owl and the Nightingale***

David Carlton, Western Univ.

#### ***The Flying of Dunbar and Kennedy***

Robert Stanton and Heide Estes, Monmouth Univ.

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### **Medieval Architecture**

Presider: Beth A. Mulvaney, Meredith College

#### **Gundulf the Builder: Prolific Administrator or Educated Architect?**

Thomas Barrows, Univ. of Houston

#### **Out of Rome, Out of Mind: Church Architecture between the Tuscia Romana and Rome**

Erik Gustafson, Fordham Univ.

#### **Anachronic Anastases in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher**

Megan Boomer, Univ. of Pennsylvania

#### **Paris Match? Experiencing Medieval Architectural Citations**

Lindsay S. Cook, Columbia Univ.

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Saturday 3:30 p.m.

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**The Functions and Dysfunctions of the Medieval and Renaissance Family II: Bourgeois Families under Stress**

Sponsor: Rocky Mountain Medieval and Renaissance Association

Organizer: Thomas P. Klein, Idaho State Univ.

Presider: Kimberly A. Klimek, Metropolitan State Univ. of Denver

**Enriching Allegories: Domestic Discourse and Dispute in Chaucer's *Tale of Melibee***

Adam Osborn, Auburn Univ.

**The Family That Slays Together: Interfamilial Violence and Insult in Late Medieval Lucca**

Corinne Wieben, Univ. of Northern Colorado

**Cowering, Complaining, Commiserating: The Henpecked Husband and Discourses of Spousal Abuse in John Lydgate's *Disguising at Hertford***

Eileen Kim, Wilfrid Laurier Univ.

**Bougeois Families under Stress**

Kathleen Ashley, Univ. of Southern Maine

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**Romance Geographies and Geographic Literacies: Theoretical and Practical Concerns in Mapping Medieval Texts (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies, Memorial Univ. of Newfoundland

Organizer: John A. Geck, Memorial Univ. of Newfoundland

Presider: John A. Geck

**Mapping Multitextual Geographies in Bevis of Hampton**

Paul A. Broyles, Univ. of Virginia

**Where in the Francia Is That? Theory and Practice of "Mapping" Medieval Miracle Literature**

Sandy Carpenter, Univ. of Toronto

**Geographic Literacies and Spatial Poetics in the Alliterative *Morte Arthure***

Patricia A. Price, California State Univ.–San Marcos

**To Map or Not to Map: Thinking through the Limitations of Mapping Romance**

Robert Allen Rouse, Univ. of British Columbia

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**Perspectives on Reason, Revelation, Beatific Vision, and Apophatic Experience in Medieval Philosophy**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy

Organizer: Jason Aleksander, St. Xavier Univ.

Presider: Donald F. Duclow, Gwynedd-Mercy Univ.

**Reason and Revelation in Three Traditions in the Middle Ages: "Sense" versus "Value"**

Robert J. Dobie, La Salle Univ.

**Aquinas on the Relationship between the Vision and Delight in Perfect Happiness**

Joseph Stenberg, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

*Karrer Travel Award Winner*

**Feminine Apophasis of "Knowing" in Marguerite Porete's *The Mirror of Simple Souls***

Anne Spear, Univ. of Mississippi



### **Early Medieval Europe IV: Christianity and Historiography**

Sponsor: *Early Medieval Europe*

Organizer: Deborah M. Deliyannis, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington; Helmut Reimitz, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Deborah M. Deliyannis

#### **The Chosen People in the Early Middle Ages**

Conor O'Brien, Churchill College, Univ. of Cambridge

#### **The Role of Exegesis in Complicating the Linear Narrative in Jonas of Bobbio's *Life of Columbanus***

Katie Menendez, Univ. of Toronto

#### **Sanctus Orosius: Reading the *Historiae adversus paganos* in the Carolingian World**

Graeme Ward, Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften

Session 475  
Schneider  
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### **Lost in Transmission? Literary and Musical Forms in the Translation of Texts**

Sponsor: *Mediaevalia: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Medieval Studies Worldwide*

Organizer: Marilyn Desmond, Binghamton Univ.

Presider: Marilyn Desmond

#### **Feeling the Text**

Jane Gilbert, Univ. College London

#### **Fortune Translated: The Changing Form of Boethius's *Consolation of Philosophy* in the French Vernacular Tradition**

Emily Kate Price, New York Univ.

#### **Voicing the Song of Songs in a French Vernacular Bible Manuscript (BnF ms fr. 15371)**

Jeanette Patterson, Binghamton Univ.

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### **Eat, Pray, Love: Gluttony, Devotion, and Lust in Medieval Society and Culture**

Sponsor: *Mens et Mensa: Society for the Study of Food in the Middle Ages*

Organizer: John August Bollweg, College of DuPage

Presider: Alberto Ferreiro, Seattle Pacific Univ.

#### **The Challenges of Food and Friendship in the *Vita* of Margaret of Cortona**

Andrea Boffa, York College, CUNY

#### **Gluttons for Punishment: Penance in the Lives of Two Saints**

Martha M. Daas, Old Dominion Univ.

#### **"Our Daily Bread": The Religious Significance of the Feasts in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

John D. Kloosterman, Baylor Univ.

#### **The New-Year Feast in the Alliterative *Morte Arthure* (176–203, 235–6): A Warning against Aristocratic Lust and Gluttony?**

Noriko Matsui, Japan Univ. of Health Sciences, Saitama-Ken

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Saturday 3:30 p.m.

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**Technology, Digitalization, and Anchoritic Studies**

Sponsor: International Anchoritic Society  
Organizer: Michelle M. Sauer, Univ. of North Dakota  
Presider: Susannah Chewning, Union County College

**Enclosure as Body, Body as Technology**

Joshua Easterling, Murray State Univ.

**Scalar of Perfection: Julian's (Digital?) Drafts**

William Rogers, Univ. of Louisiana–Monroe

**Geospatial Inquiry and the Medieval English Anchorhold**

Michelle M. Sauer

Session 479  
Schneider  
1360

**Harassment in the Academy (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)  
Organizer: Dorothy Kim, Vassar College  
Presider: Liz Herbert McAvoy, Swansea Univ.

A roundtable discussion with Linda E. Mitchell, Univ. of Missouri–Kansas City; Jennifer C. Edwards, Manhattan College; and Sally Livingston, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.

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**The Forgotten Coast? North Africa and Its Place in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities  
Organizer: Matthew King, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities  
Presider: Hussein Anwar Fancy, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Mediterranean Aspirations: The Almohads and al-Andalus in the Thirteenth Century**

Emma Snowden, Univ. of Minnesota–Twin Cities

**The Genoese Community in Tunis, 1260–1289**

Joel Pattison, Univ. of California–Berkeley

***Sarracenorum Regulos: Muslim Rebellion in Sicily and Mediterranean Connections***

Timothy Smit, Eastern Kentucky Univ.

**Ifriqiya, Sicily, and the Mediterranean in the Mid-Twelfth Century**

Matthew King

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**Law and Legal Culture in Anglo-Saxon England: Sessions in Memory of Lisi Oliver II**

Sponsor: Medieval-Renaissance Faculty Workshop, Univ. of Louisville  
Organizer: Andrew Rabin, Univ. of Louisville  
Presider: Kristen Carella, Assumption College

**Ine's Laws on Church and State**

Stefan Jurasinski, College at Brockport

**The Layout of Alfred's Laws in the Parker Manuscript**

Bruce Gilchrist, Concordia Univ. Montréal

**Crime and Sin in the Laws of Alfred**

Nicole Marafioti, Trinity Univ.

## Elemental Approaches IV: Water II

Sponsor: Environmental History Network for the Middle Ages (ENFORMA)  
Organizer: Ellen F. Arnold, Ohio Wesleyan Univ.  
Presider: Philip Slavin, Univ. of Kent

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Bernhard  
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### **“Come Hell or High Water”: An Approach to River Accounts in Frankish Historiography in the Early Middle Ages**

Stephan Ebert, Technische Univ. Darmstadt

### **Fishponds, Flooding, and Legal Resolution along the Upper Escaut River, ca. 1000–1300**

Kathryn E. Salzer, Pennsylvania State Univ.

### **Wawel Shit Always Rolls Down Hill: Waste Management in Medieval Krakow, 1300–1500**

Leslie Carr-Riegel, Central European Univ.

## Anonymous Anglo-Saxon Prose Saints’ Lives

Sponsor: Anglo-Saxon Hagiography Society (ASHS)  
Organizer: Johanna Kramer, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia; Robin Norris, Carleton Univ.  
Presider: Rolf H. Bremmer, Jr., Univ. Leiden

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Bernhard  
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### **Real and Imagined Animals in Anglo-Saxon Hagiography**

Todd Preston, Lycoming College

### **Saint Margaret and the Refusal to Look**

Benjamin A. Saltzman, California Institute of Technology

### **Saint Bertellin of Stafford: A Neglected Anglo-Saxon Saint**

Lindy Brady, Univ. of Mississippi

## Interfaith Relations in the Fourteenth Century

Sponsor: 14th Century Society  
Organizer: Maya Soifer Irish, Rice Univ.  
Presider: Maya Soifer Irish

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Bernhard  
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### **“Aleph!”: Islamic Prosperity and the Destruction of Christians in Riccoldo da Montecroce’s *Letters to the Triumphant Church***

Davide Scotto, Eberhard Karls Univ. Tübingen

### **Jews in the Byzantine Empire in the Fourteenth Century**

Petros N. Toulis, Aristotle Univ. of Thessaloniki  
*Congress Travel Award Winner*

### **From Halakhah to Kabbalah: The Evolution of the Jewish Animosity against the Gentiles**

Federico Dal Bo, Institute for Cultural Inquiry Berlin

### **“Collusion” between Old Christians and Jews/Conversos in Majorca following the 1391 Riots**

Natalie Oeltjen, Univ. of Toronto

Saturday 3:30 p.m.

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**The Crusades at Home: Roots, Impact, and Cultural Significance of the Crusades in France and Occitania II**

Sponsor: Marco Institute for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville  
Organizer: Thomas Lecaque, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville  
Presider: Thomas Lecaque

**Crusaders on the Orne: Robert of Belleme, Rotrou of Perche, and the Benefits of Crusading**

Simon Parsons, Royal Holloway, Univ. of London

**Literature as Propaganda? *Le Roman d'Eracle* and the Third Crusade**

Anne Latowsky, Univ. of South Florida

**Prophecy and Apocalypse in Fulcher of Chartres's *Historia* of the First Crusade**

Matthew Gabriele, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State Univ.

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Bernhard  
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**News, Communication, and Current Events in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Exeter  
Organizer: Helen Birkett, Univ. of Exeter  
Presider: Michael Hanrahan, Bates College

**News and Communication in the Carolingian Empire**

John-Henry Clay, Durham Univ.

**Letters, Communication, and Networks: Peter Damian's Lay Correspondence**

Leidulf Melve, Univ. i Bergen

**The Fall of Jerusalem, 1187: An Immersive News Event?**

Helen Birkett

**The Messenger Is the Message: Social and Communicative Roles of Couriers in Fourteenth-Century Europe**

Eve Wolynes, Univ. of Notre Dame

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Bernhard  
210

**Alliterative Traditions: In Memory of Larry D. Benson (A Panel Discussion)**

Sponsor: *Chaucer Review*; Harvard Medieval Colloquium  
Organizer: Susanna Fein, Kent State Univ.; Nicholas Watson, Harvard Univ.; Daniel Donoghue, Harvard Univ.  
Presider: Daniel Donoghue

**The Artful Tradition of Larry Benson's *Gawain***

Richard Firth Green, Ohio State Univ.

**Larry Benson on Old English Poetry**

Joseph Harris, Harvard Univ.

**The Authorship of *Saint Erkenwald*: Why Are We Having This Conversation?**

Eric Weiskott, Boston College

**Larry Benson and the Alliterative Worthies**

Susanna Fein

Session 488  
Bernhard  
211

**Christine and Feminism: A Twenty-First-Century Reassessment**

Sponsor: International Christine de Pizan Society, North American Branch  
Organizer: Benjamin M. Semple, Gonzaga Univ.  
Presider: Julia A. Nephew, Independent Scholar

**From Proto-feminism to *Lean In***

Karen Robertson, Vassar College, and Christine Reno, Vassar College

**The City as Fortress and Waypoint: Building Materials for Modern Feminism in the Life and Works of Christine de Pizan**

Allyson Carr, Centre for Philosophy, Religion and Social Ethics, Institute for Christian Studies

**Christine, Family and the *Métier*: A Fourteenth-Fifteenth Century Perspective on Working Women**

Ellen M. Thorington, Ball State Univ.

**Trans-forming the Canon: Depicting “Trans” in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Society for the Study of Homosexuality in the Middle Ages (SSHMA)

Organizer: Graham N. Drake, SUNY–Geneseo

Presider: Graham N. Drake

**The Trouble with Gendering Pregnancy: Butches, Saints, and Kings**

Blake Gutt, King’s College, Univ. of Cambridge

**Troubling Gender: The Case of Catalina de Erauso/Francisco Loyola**

Felipe E. Rojas, Univ. of Chicago

Session 489  
Bernhard  
212

**Boethius’s *Consolation of Philosophy* through the Ages**

Sponsor: International Boethius Society

Organizer: Philip Edward Phillips, Middle Tennessee State Univ.

Presider: Philip Edward Phillips

**Boethius as Anti-Boethius: A Re-evaluation of the Role of Boethius in Maximianus’s Third Elegy**

Sean Tandy, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**“If chance will have me king”: The Alfredian and Boethian Context of Macbeth’s Weird Sisters**

Brian McFadden, Texas Tech Univ.

**Teaching “the Holesome Doctryne of Philosophye”: Comfort and Instruction in George Colvile’s 1556 Translation**

Kenneth C. Hawley, Lubbock Christian Univ.

Respondent: Noel Harold Kaylor, Jr., Troy Univ.

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Bernhard  
213

**Is There a Text in This Field? Middle English Canonical Texts and the Edition of Record (A Roundtable)**

Sponsor: *Piers Plowman* Electronic Archive; Society for Early English and Norse Electronic Texts (SEENET)

Organizer: James Knowles, North Carolina State Univ.

Presider: James Knowles

A roundtable discussion with Timothy L. Stinson, North Carolina State Univ.; Stephanie L. Batkie, Univ. of Montevallo; Simon Forde, Medieval Institute Publications; and Lawrence Warner, King’s College London.

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Brown &  
Gold Room

Saturday 3:30 p.m.

—End of 3:30 p.m. Sessions—

## Saturday, May 14 Evening Events

5:00 p.m.	<b>WINE HOUR</b> Hosted by the Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.	Valley III Harrison 301 Eldridge 307
5:10 p.m.	<b>International Boethius Society</b> Business Meeting and Reception with open bar	Bernhard 213
5:15 p.m.	<b>Lydgate Society</b> Business Meeting	Valley III Stinson 303
5:15 p.m.	<b>Seigneurie: Group for the Study of the Nobility, Lordship, and Chivalry</b>	Valley III Stinson Lounge
5:15 p.m.	<b>International Marguerite Porete Society</b> Business Meeting	Valley II Garneau Lounge
5:15 p.m.	<b>Society for Medieval Feminist Scholarship (SMFS)</b> Business Meeting and Reception with open bar	Fetzer 1045
5:15 p.m.	<b>DISTAFF (Discussion, Interpretation, and Study of Textile Arts, Fabrics, and Fashion)</b> Reception	Fetzer 1055
5:15 p.m.	<b>Medieval and Renaissance Drama Society (MRDS)</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 2016
5:15 p.m.	<b>Society of the White Hart</b> Business Meeting	Fetzer 2020
5:30 p.m.	<b>Society for Medieval Languages and Linguistics</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 1030
5:30 p.m.	<b>International Christine de Pizan Society, North American Branch</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 211
5:30 p.m.	<b>Monsters: The Experimental Association for the Research of Cryptozoology through Scholarly Theory and Practical Application (MEARCSTAPA)</b> Business Meeting	Bernhard 212
6:00–7:00 p.m.	<b>DINNER</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
6:00 p.m.	<b><i>Journal of Medieval Religious Cultures (JMRC)</i></b> Business Meeting	Valley II LeFevre Lounge

Saturday evening

6:15 p.m.	<b>Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies, Western Michigan Univ.</b> Dinner (by invitation)	Bernhard President's Dining Room
6:30 p.m.	<b>International Center of Medieval Art (ICMA)</b> Board Meeting	Bernhard 159
8:00 p.m.	<b>Annus Horribilis</b> Sponsor: Societas Fontibus Historiae Medii Aevi Inveniendis, vulgo dicta, "The Pseudo Society" Organizer: Kavita Mudan Finn, Independent Scholar Presider: Kavita Mudan Finn  <b>Toward a Poetics of Beast(l)iness</b> Evelyn Birge Vitz, New York Univ. <b>A Newly Discovered Merovingian Saint</b> William W. Clark, Queens College, CUNY, and Paula L. Gerson, Florida State Univ. <b>Doom, Destiny, and Derision: <i>Sermo Lupi mali</i> <i>ad Anglos</i></b> M. Wendy Hennequin, Tennessee State Univ.  Remote broadcast in Fetzer 1010	Fetzer 1005
8:00 p.m.	<b>International Porlock Society</b> Business Meeting with cash bar	Fetzer 2020
10:00 p.m.	<b>DANCE</b> with cash bar Congress badge required	Bernhard East Ballroom

### Sunday, May 15 Morning Events

7:00–8:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST</b>	Valley II Dining Hall
7:30–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Valley II and III
8:00–10:30 a.m.	<b>COFFEE SERVICE</b>	Bernhard and Fetzer

**Sunday, May 15**  
**8:30–10:00 a.m.**  
**Sessions 492–520**

Session 492  
Valley III  
Stinson  
Lounge

**Universal Saints Located in Anglo-Saxon England**

Organizer: Kevin R. Kritsch, Univ. of North Carolina–Chapel Hill/Kennesaw State Univ.

Presider: Kevin R. Kritsch

**When Sailors Steal a Saint: Nicholas in Anglo-Saxon England**

A. Rebecca Shores, Univ. of North Carolina–Chapel Hill

**Ælfric, Apostles, and Apocrypha in Anglo-Saxon Manuscripts**

Brandon W. Hawk, Rhode Island College

***Ad Limina Apostolorum*: Rome, England, and the Apostles in Early Anglo-Latin Sources**

Shannon N. Godlove, Columbus State Univ.

Session 493  
Valley II  
LeFevre  
Lounge

**The Medieval Reception of Augustine of Hippo I**

Organizer: Thomas Clemmons, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Thomas Clemmons

**The Quality of Mercy: Gregory the Great's Development of Augustine on Mercy's Likeness to God**

Jordan Wales, Hillsdale College

**A Tale of Two Readers: Multiple Augustines in a Single Carolingian Manuscript**

J. David Schlosser, Lee Univ.

**The Reception of Augustine of Hippo on Holy Violence during the Investiture Contest by Anselm II of Lucca and Bonizo of Sutri**

John A. Dempsey, Westfield State Univ.

Session 494  
Fetzer  
1005

**Digital Methods I: Paleography and Codicology**

Sponsor: Digital Resource for Palaeography (DigiPal), Dept. of Digital Humanities, King's College London; Models of Authority Project

Organizer: Stewart J. Brookes, Department of Digital Humanities, King's College London

Presider: Bridget Whearty, Binghamton Univ.

**Models of Authority: Searching Questions for Medieval Scottish Charters**

Stewart J. Brookes

**What Order Are My Pages? Bringing Codicology to DigiPal**

Peter A. Stokes, King's College London

**Visualizing Manuscript Content through the Collation Project**

Dorothy Carr Porter, Schoenberg Institute for Manuscript Studies

Sunday 8:30 a.m.



**Melody Networking: Discovering, Comparing, and Understanding Medieval Chant**

Sponsor: Cantus: A Database for Latin Ecclesiastical Chant

Organizer: Debra Lacoste, Univ. of Waterloo

Presider: James Borders, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**Musicians of the Bayeux Tapestry and William's Elegy**

Alma Santosuosso, Wilfrid Laurier Univ.

**Pitch Series, the Compositional Basis of Antiphons and Responsories**

Terence Bailey, Western Univ.

**Sing Another New Song: Indexing Melodies in the Cantus Database**

Debra Lacoste

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Fetzer

1010

**“First Things”: Interpreting Genesis in the Middle Ages**

Organizer: Thomas Anthony Greene, Loyola Univ. Chicago

Presider: Thomas Anthony Greene

**First Conflicts: Understanding the Conflicts in Genesis in the Carolingian Age**

Kelly Gibson, Univ. of Dallas

**The Repudiated Matriarch: Hagar in Medieval Christian Exegetical Traditions**

Kristin Skottki, Univ. Rostock

**The Beginning at the End of Time: Concepts of Creation in the Calamitous Fourteenth Century**

Eleanor Janega, Univ. College London

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Fetzer

1035

**Hidden and Revealed: New Research on the Art and Architecture of Parish Churches in Medieval England (1100–1600) I**

Organizer: Sarah Blick, Kenyon College

Presider: Laura D. Gelfand, Utah State Univ.

**The Making of an English Medieval Rood Screen**

Lucy Wrapson, Hamilton Kerr Institute, Fitzwilliam Museum, Univ. of Cambridge

**Forging One and Fostering Many: The Parish “Hall Churches”**

Zachary Stewart, Columbia Univ.

**Totterhoe Clunch, Greensand, Oolitic Limestone: Using Local Materials in the Medieval Churches of Bedfordshire**

David H. Kennett, Independent Scholar

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Fetzer

1040

**Jetpack Cats and Penis Trees: An Oral-Traditional Approach to Humor in Medieval Texts**

Organizer: Rebecca M. Mouser, Missouri Southern State Univ.; Claire Schmidt, Missouri Valley College

Presider: Rebecca M. Mouser

**Oral-Traditional Theory and the Audience for Middle English Romance**

Paul D. Gaffney, Hiram College

**Nuns and Anthropomorphic Penis Beasts in Fifteenth-Century Germany**

Rabia Gregory, Univ. of Missouri–Columbia

**Tendentious Anglo-Saxon Humor and the Exeter Book Riddles**

Claire Schmidt

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Sunday 8:30 a.m.

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Fetzer  
1060

**Cultural Interactions in the Crusader States I**

Organizer: Elizabeth Lapina, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Presider: Cathleen A. Fleck, St. Louis Univ.

**Re-reading the Crusades: City Lamentations over Jerusalem**

Tamar M. Boyadjian, Michigan State Univ.

**Barefoot across the Euphrates: Narrative Technique and Literary**

**Commemoration in Fulcher of Chartres and William of Tyre**

Julian Yolles, Harvard Univ.

**Cross-Cultural Interactions in the Legal System of the Kingdom of Jerusalem**

Adam Bishop, Independent Scholar

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**Knights Errant and Private Dicks: From Romance to Noir**

Organizer: Mary C. Flannery, Univ. de Lausanne

Presider: Mary C. Flannery

**Medieval Noir**

John M. Ganim, Univ. of California–Riverside

**Gawain and Percival, Back to the (Medieval) Future**

Matthew Vernon, Univ. of California–Davis

Response: Richard Utz, Georgia Institute of Technology

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**The Reception of Geoffrey of Monmouth in Medieval and Early Modern Britain**

Organizer: Victoria Shirley, Cardiff Univ.

Presider: Victoria Shirley

**Revisiting the Political Allegiances of Geoffrey's History: Questions of Reception, Patronage, and Purpose**

Georgia Henley, Harvard Univ.

**Relaying the Foundation of Britain in Fourteenth-Century Wales**

Timothy J. Nelson, Univ. of Arkansas–Fayetteville

**Arthurian Revisions: Hector Boece's *Scotorum historia* and Geoffrey of Monmouth**

Elizabeth Hanna, Univ. of St. Andrews

**Afterlives of Geoffrey of Monmouth's Prophetic Material**

Caroline D. Eckhardt, Pennsylvania State Univ.

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Fetzer  
2030

**The Pleasure of the Unpredictable in Middle English Narrative**

Organizer: Leigh Smith, East Stroudsburg Univ.

Presider: Leigh Smith

**Story, Legend, or Life? Negotiating Genres in *The Clerk's Tale***

Marc Guidry, Stephen F. Austin State Univ.

**Surprise and Delight as Mystical Practices in Julian of Norwich**

Maria L. C. Prozesky, Univ. of Pretoria

**Friendship, Sodomy, and Incest: Chaucer's Unpredictable Pandarus**

Richard Sévère, Centenary College

**What's Neuroscience Got to Do, Got to Do with It? What's Love but a Rhetorical Emotion in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight***

Scott D. Troyan, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

**Blood, Sweat, and Tears: Violence and Emotion in Medieval England**

Organizer: Marjorie Housley, Univ. of Notre Dame; Micah Goodrich, Univ. of Connecticut

Presider: Marjorie Housley

**Blood that Makes Swords “Weep”?: Potential Desires of the *Ealdsweord Eotenisc* in *Beowulf***

Sonja Mayrhofer, Univ. of Iowa

**“An Avenger Yet Lived”: Grief, Anger, and Violence in *Beowulf***

Hilary E. Fox, Wayne State Univ.

**In Hir Bed Al Naked”: Nakedness as Male Grief in Chaucer’s *Book of the Duchess***

Elizabeth Liendo, Pennsylvania State Univ.

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Fetzer  
2040

**Ælfrician Texts and Contexts**

Organizer: Rachel E. Grabowski, Cornell Univ.

Presider: Rachel E. Grabowski

**The Spiritual Sense of Ælfric’s Temporale Homilies**

Jacob Hobson, Univ. of California–Berkeley

**Old English Saints’ Lives: Collecting and Compiling**

Ruth H. Mullett, Cornell Univ.

**Updating and Imitating Ælfric around the Year 1200**

Stephen Pelle, Univ. of Toronto

**Ælfric and His Roaring Doubters: Revisiting Leofstan in *The Passion of Saint Edmund***

Matthew Spears, Cornell Univ.

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**Exploring the Manuscripts and Textual Traditions of Geoffrey Chaucer**

Sponsor: Canterbury Tales Project

Organizer: Peter Robinson, Univ. of Saskatchewan

Presider: D. Thomas Hanks, Jr., Baylor Univ.

**Transcription and Variance in the *Reeve’s Tale***

Thomas J. Farrell, Stetson Univ.

**Delivering the *Canterbury Tales*: The Reception of the CantApp**

Barbara Bordalejo, KU Leuven

**Towards an Edition of *Troilus and Criseyde***

Adam Vazquez Cruz, Univ. of Saskatchewan

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Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Session 506  
Schneider  
1135

**Contact Zones and Exchange in the Crown of Aragon and the Mediterranean**

Sponsor: North American Catalan Society  
Organizer: John August Bollweg, College of DuPage; Núria Silleras-Fernández,  
Univ. of Colorado–Boulder  
Presider: Montserrat Piera, Temple Univ.

**Transforming Courtly Practice: The Impact of Hohenstaufen and Angevin Princesses as Queens of the Crown of Aragon**

Eileen P. McKiernan González, Berea College

**Words as Deeds: Deriving Political Legitimacy from Humanist Philosophy in the Fifteenth Century**

Hollie Allen, Univ. of Colorado–Boulder

**A Mediterranean Contact Zone in *El Monserrate*: Masculinity, Power, and the Questioning of a Castilian Spanish Empire**

Vicente Lledó-Guillem, Hofstra Univ.

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**The Archaeology of Medieval Europe I: Non-monetary Uses of Coins**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Florida  
Organizer: Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida  
Presider: Alan M. Stahl, Princeton Univ.

**The Erotics of Marriage Jewelry in Byzantine Egypt**

Ashley Elizabeth Jones, Univ. of Florida

**Roots of Germanic Coinage**

Aleksander Bursche, Univ. Warszawski

**Money and “Barbarians”: Enhancing Social Prestige on Byzantium’s Northern Frontier (Sixth–Seventh Centuries)**

Andrei Gandila, Univ. of Alabama–Huntsville

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**Pardon our Dust: Reassessing Iconography at the Index of Christian Art I: Program**

Sponsor: Index of Christian Art, Princeton Univ.  
Organizer: Catherine Fernandez, Princeton Univ.; Henry Schilb, Princeton Univ.  
Presider: Catherine Fernandez

**An Apocalyptic Program from Thirteenth-Century Salzburg**

Ludovico Geymonat, Bibliotheca Hertziana/Univ. of Notre Dame

**A Case for Program: Reading a New Spirituality across the Façade of a Castilian Parish Church**

Elizabeth Lastra, Univ. of Pennsylvania

**Complexity and Coherence in the Romanesque Portals of Aquitaine and Northern Spain**

Julia Perratore, Metropolitan Museum of Art

**Women's Words: Female Instruction in the Medieval British Isles**

Organizer: Jenny C. Bledsoe, Emory Univ.; Lainie Ann Pomerleau, Univ. of Georgia

Presider: Lainie Ann Pomerleau

**"Ne shal not Blanche flour lerne with me?": Depicting and Actualizing Female Learning in the Auchinleck Manuscript**

Emma Osborne, Univ. of Glasgow

**"Ye do the wrong and not the ryght": Women's Advice and *The Erle of Tolous***

Sarah Lindsay, Milligan College

**Teaching by Example: Julian of Norwich's Devotional Hermeneutics**

Jessica Barr, Univ. of Massachusetts–Amherst

**The Unhelpful Wife: Comparing Women's Advice in the Early Irish Tales**

**"Bricriu's Feast" and "The Tale of Mac Da Thó's Pig"**

Jennifer L. Knight, Univ. of South Florida

**"Venomous Allurements": Narrative in Women's Conduct Manuals**

Sarah Mayo, Univ. of Georgia

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**The Beast with Two Backs**

Sponsor: Monsters: The Experimental Association for the Research of Cryptozoology through Scholarly Theory and Practical Application (MEARCSTAPA)

Organizer: Asa Simon Mittman, California State Univ.–Chico; Jacqueline Stuhmiller, Univ. of California–Berkeley

Presider: Jacqueline Stuhmiller

**Beastly Desires: Heteronormative Correctives in Marie de France's *Guigemar*, *Bisclavret*, and *Yonec***

L. Kip Wheeler, Carson-Newman Univ.

**Bestiality, Bodies, and Boundaries in Medieval Scandinavia**

Christine Ekholst, Univ. of Guelph

**Show Us Your Naughty Bits: Signs of Erasure in Monstrously Erotic Mélusine Images**

Lydia Zeldenrust, Queen Mary, Univ. of London

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**Medieval Genre Again: Redefining the Normative Hybridity of Medieval French Generic Conventions**

Organizer: Christine V. Bourgeois, Univ. of Kansas

Presider: Peggy McCracken, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

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**Generic Villainy: Rutebeuf at the Limits of the Fabliau**

Frederic Dulson, Univ. of California–Berkeley

*Univ. of California, Berkeley Graduate Student Prize Winner*

**Hybrid Harmony: The Old Occitan Descort and Dante's Theory of Language**

Christopher Davis, Northwestern Univ.

**The Anonymous Hagiographer: Divine Authorship and Authorship as Divine**

Christine V. Bourgeois

**Generic Hybridity and Queer Sexuality in Nicole de Margival's *Dit de la panthère***

Charlie Samuelson, King's College London

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**Eurasian Connections: The Late Antique World Reconsidered**

Sponsor: Five College Seminar in Late Antiquity  
Organizer: Jason Moralee, Univ. of Massachusetts–Amherst/Institute for  
Advanced Study  
Presider: Jason Moralee

**They Come From the Land of the Ice and Snow: Huns, Turks, and the  
Northern Peoples in Caucasian Imagination and Reality**

Scott McDonough, William Paterson Univ.

**From Seres to Taugast: Perceiving the Distant Other through Mediated  
Networks in Late Antique Eurasia**

Richard Lim, Smith College

**Zawulistan, Kawulistan and the Land Bosī 波斯: On the Question of a  
Sasanian Court-in-Exile in the Southern Hindukush**

Sören Stark, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World, New York Univ.

**The Dragon and the Pearl: Exploring a Eurasian Motif of Late Antiquity**

Joel Walker, Univ. of Washington–Seattle

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**The Latin Talmud and Its Influence on Christian-Jewish Polemic**

Sponsor: ERC-Project “The Latin Talmud and Its Influence on Christian-Jewish  
Polemic”  
Organizer: Ulisse Cecini, Univ. Autònoma de Barcelona  
Presider: Michael I. Allen, Univ. of Chicago

**Looking for Polemical Arguments: A Closer Look to the Latin Translation of  
the Talmud *Extractiones de Talmud* (ca. 1244–45)**

Ulisse Cecini

**Prophetic and Poetic Direct Quotations from the Bible in the Latin Talmud:  
Textual Transmission and Philological Features**

Eulàlia Vernet, Univ. Autònoma de Barcelona

**Yerushalmi Texts in Raymund Martini’s *Dagger of Faith* (*Pugio fidei*)**

Goerge Hasselhoff, Technische Univ. Dortmund/Univ. Autònoma de Barcelona

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**Dress and Textiles II: Codes, Classification, Camouflage**

Sponsor: DISTAFF (Discussion, Interpretation, and Study of Textile Arts,  
Fabrics, and Fashion)  
Organizer: Robin Netherton, DISTAFF  
Presider: Gale R. Owen-Crocker, Univ. of Manchester

**Dressing Up and Dressing Down: The Uses of Livery in the Fourteenth  
Century**

Laurel Ann Wilson, Independent Scholar

**Dressing, Undressing, and Cross-dressing in Early Modern Accounts of the  
Holy Land**

Emily Price, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

**A Man in an Otter Suit: Echoes of Norse Magic in the *Nibelungenlied***

M. A. Nordtorp-Madson, Univ. of St. Thomas, Minnesota

**Too Christian? Confronting Religious “Excess” in the Presentation and Performance of Medieval Christian Literature, Art, and Music**

Organizer: Jeanne-Marie Musto, Independent Scholar

Presider: Sarah M. Anderson, Princeton Univ.

**Keeping Time: Sung Gospels and Moving Images**

Jane Huber, Union Theological Seminary

**Too Christian Death, Not So Christian Death: Examples of Death and Soul**

**Passage in Medieval Portuguese Art**

Carla Varela Fernandes, Instituto de Estudos Medievais, Univ. Nova de Lisboa

Respondent: Jeanne-Marie Musto

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**Middle English Political Poetry**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Working Group, Texas A&M Univ.

Organizer: Nancy Bradley Warren, Texas A&M Univ.

Presider: Nancy Bradley Warren

**Poised to Spill: The Political Anxieties and Precarious Treatment of Blood in *Bevis of Hampton***

Patrick Butler, Univ. of Connecticut

**Building Community in Yorkist Occasional Poetry**

Noah G. Peterson, Texas A&M Univ.

**New Alliterative Poetry in Middle English Prophecy Books**

Eric Weiskott, Boston College

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**Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Late Medieval Lyric**

Sponsor: Medieval Studies Certificate Program, Graduate Center, CUNY

Organizer: Anne Stone, Graduate Center, CUNY

Presider: Clare Wilson, Graduate Center, CUNY

**“The Fairies Sing”: Musical Refrain in Adam de la Halle’s *Jeu de la Feuillée***

Rebecca Wiegand Coale, Independent Scholar

**A Proposed Context for the Paraliturgical Drama “Tragedia de Sancta Agnetis” through Intertextual Analysis of Its Troubadour Contrafacta**

Verónica Guimarães, Graduate Center, CUNY

**Made to Measure: On the Intimate Relations of Song and Parchment in**

**Guillaume de Machaut’s *Remede* and *Prologue***

Anne Stone

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**Dangerous Games: Proscription, Transgression, Control**

Sponsor: Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris  
Organizer: Vanina M. Kopp, Deutsches Historisches Institut Paris  
Presider: Vanina M. Kopp

**“De rotunda tabula prohibenda”: Squaring the Circle of Medieval Round Tables**

Christopher Berard, Centre for Medieval Studies, Univ. of Toronto

**Unstable Identities: Shifting Friends and Enemies in Malory’s Book of Sir Tristram**

Whitney Whitaker, Univ. of Oklahoma

**Who’s Afraid of the Gambling Devil? Ludic Dangers between Rationalization and Demonization**

Michael Allman Conrad, Freie Univ. Berlin

**“Win Sett and All”: Violence, Chance, and Social Competition in Early Modern Tennis**

Natalia Khomenko, York Univ.

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**Science, Nature, and Scholarship in the Early Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Dept. of Theology and Religion, Durham Univ.  
Organizer: Helen Foxhall Forbes, Durham Univ.  
Presider: Guy Halsall, Univ. of York

**Thunderbolts and Lightning Really Aren’t That Frightening: Reporting the Weather in Carolingian Annals**

Julie A. Hofmann, Shenandoah Univ.

**Thinking about Theology and Science in the Insular World**

Helen Foxhall Forbes

**Fractions of Sound: The Philosophical and Practical Function of Duodecimal Fractions, as Witnessed by a Mathematical Fragment from Twelfth-Century Glendalough, County Wicklow, Ireland**

Mary Kelly, Univ. College Dublin

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**Saints and Their Makers: (re)Writing Hagiography in the Long Twelfth Century I: (re)Negotiating the Past in Twelfth-Century Saints’ Lives**

Sponsor: Dept. of History, Univ. of Southern California  
Organizer: Justin Haar, Univ. of Southern California  
Presider: Justin Haar

**William of Malmesbury, Faricius, and Aldhelm: Revising the Life of an Anglo-Saxon Saint**

Michael Moises Garcia, Independent Scholar

**Validating Doubt: the *Vita Wulfstani*’s Answer to Norman Questions**

Sarah Joy Adams, Azusa Pacific Univ.

**The Cistercian Saint Ninian**

Chad Turner, St. Joseph’s College

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**The Medieval Reception of Augustine of Hippo II**

Organizer: Thomas Clemmons, Univ. of Notre Dame

Presider: Michael S. Hahn, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Augustine and Anselm on Necessity and Ontological Arguments**

Michael Vendsel, Tarrant County College

**Illuminating Abstraction: Bonaventure's Reception of Augustinian Epistemology**

Benjamin P. Winter, St. Louis Univ.

**Augustinian Influence in Meister Eckhart's German Sermons: The Word and the Image in the Soul**

Breanna Nickel, Univ. of Notre Dame

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**Digital Methods II: Manuscript Studies**

Sponsor: Digital Resource for Palaeography (DigiPal), Dept. of Digital Humanities, King's College London; Models of Authority Project

Organizer: Stewart J. Brookes, Department of Digital Humanities, King's College London

Presider: Stewart J. Brookes

**Visualizing the *Roman de la Rose* Digital Library: New Pathways to Manuscript Studies**

Kristen Mapes, Michigan State Univ.

**Scaling Up: Macroanalysis and Manuscripts**

Benjamin L. Albritton, Stanford Univ. Libraries

**Beyond 2D: Representing the Materiality of Medieval Manuscripts**

William F. Endres, Univ. of Oklahoma

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**Metaphor: Medieval and Modern**

Organizer: Kerilyn Harkaway-Krieger, Gordon College

Presider: Curtis Gruenler, Hope College

**“Hū sēo prāg gewāt, / genāp under niht-helm . . .!”: Paradoxes of Personification and Metonymy in Medieval English Poems on Transience**

Evelyn Reynolds, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Rhetoric and Seeing Metaphor in Chaucer's *Franklin's Tale***

Joseph Turner, Univ. of Louisville

**Captive Metaphors: The Boethian Prison**

Corey Sparks, California State Univ.–Chico

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### Fanfiction in Medieval Studies

Organizer: Anna Wilson, Univ. of Toronto

Presider: Anna Wilson

#### Strange Attraction to Sacred Places: Reading Fannish Fantasies in a Copy of Mandevilles's Travels

Alison Harper, Univ. of Rochester

#### Choose Your Own Arthur: Canon and Agency in Choice of Games' *Pendragon*

Rebecca Slitt, Choice of Games, LLC

#### Code-Switching Media: Vernacular Medievalisms and the Queer Lives of Mulan

Jonathan Hsy, George Washington Univ.

#### Charlemagne Fanfiction and Collective Identity in Fourteenth-Century England

Elizabeth Williamsen, Minnesota State Univ.–Mankato

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### Hidden and Revealed: New Research on the Art and Architecture of Parish Churches in Medieval England (1100–1600) II

Organizer: Sarah Blick, Kenyon College

Presider: Laura D. Gelfand, Utah State Univ.

#### Recusants and Rescued Objects: The Saint Katherine Altarpiece of Lydiate

Lloyd de Beer, British Museum

#### “With Angels for to Sing”: East Anglian Angel Roofs, the Liturgy, and Lay Piety

Sarah Cassell, Univ. of East Anglia

#### A Hidden Mappa Mundi in Norfolk: Trunch Parish Church Font Canopy

Sarah Blick

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### Jews and Christian Materiality

Organizer: Shamma Boyarin, Univ. of Victoria

Presider: Shamma Boyarin

#### Temple, Pit, and Cross: Jews and the Place of Christian Materialism in Cynewulf's *Elene*

Kathy Lavezzo, Univ. of Iowa

#### From Engagement with Christian Materiel to a Critique of Christian Materiality in Medieval Ashkenaz

Natalie E. Latteri, Univ. of New Mexico

#### Children of Israel: Jews, Christian Materiality, and the Impact of Childhood

Wendy Love Anderson, Washington Univ. in St. Louis

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### Cultural Interactions in the Crusader States II

Organizer: Elizabeth Lapina, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Presider: Julian Yolles, Harvard Univ.

#### Islamic or Christian? Souvenir Glass Beakers and Cross-Cultural Exchange

Cathleen A. Fleck, St. Louis Univ.

#### Objects of Interaction and Objects of Separation in the Crusader States

James G. Schryver, Univ. of Minnesota–Morris

#### Municipal Mechanisms in the Holy City: Socio-economic Networks in Twelfth-Century Frankish Jerusalem

Anna Gutgarts, Hebrew Univ. of Jerusalem

**APRICOT: A Pedagogical Hub for Medieval Studies (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Ece Turnator, Univ. of Texas–Austin

Presider: Ece Turnator

**APRICOT: Overview and Philosophy**

Tamsyn Rose-Steel, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**Repurposing Omeka**

Alexandra Bolintineanu, Univ. of Toronto

**Giving Credit for Working: Metrics and Feedback**

Bridget Whearty, Binghamton Univ.

**Functionality and Design**

Matthew Evan Davis, Independent Scholar

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**Multilingual Practices in Middle English Texts**

Organizer: Marta Sylwanowicz, Univ. of Social Sciences, Warsaw

Presider: Marta Sylwanowicz

**“Loo what sholde a man in thyse dayes now wryte, egges or eyren”: Code-Switching or Borrowing in Middle English?**

Magdalena Bator, Univ. of Social Sciences, Warsaw

**Multilingualism in Legal Documents: The Analysis of Code-Switching in Medieval Wills**

Joanna Esquibel, Univ. SWPS Warszawa, and Anna Wojtyś, Univ. Warszawski

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**“Get Ye Flask”: Friars and Uroscopy in Medieval England**

Organizer: Sarah Star, Univ. of Toronto

Presider: Sarah Star

**Uroscopy as Encyclopedia: A Case Study of Friar Daniel (OP) and Friar Narborough (OFM)**

M. Teresa Tavormina, Michigan State Univ.

**Mendicant Medics: When Friars Treated in the Middle Ages**

Elise Williams, Univ. of Toronto

**English Friars and Unorthodox Medical Knowledge**

Laurence Moulinier-Brogi, Univ. Lumière Lyon 2

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**The Formation and Reformation of Power Networks in the Late Antique West**

Organizer: Laurent J. Cases, Pennsylvania State Univ.

Presider: Laurent J. Cases

**Power and Building in the Later Antique City: Local and Imperial Monumental Patronage in the West**

Douglas Underwood, Independent Scholar

**Episcopal Activism and Intolerance in Late Antique Italy**

Samuel Cohen, Sonoma State Univ.

**The Power of Things: Material Aspects of Power Networks in Post-Roman Gaul**

Ralph J. Patrello, Univ. of Florida

**Faith, Chastity, and Treason: Imperial Marriage Tradition in the Houses of Valentinian and Theodosius**

Thomas Christopher Lawrence, Pennsylvania State Univ.

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**Against Prograss: Pastoral and Innovation in Medieval and Renaissance Poetry (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: William M. Rhodes, Univ. of Virginia; David Hadbawnik, American Univ., Kuwait

Presider: William M. Rhodes

**“Sterne Strife”: Pastoral Old and New in the *Shepherdess Calender***

Megan Cook, Colby College

**Roman Rednecks and Hippie Herdsman in Virgil’s Political Pastoral Verse**

David Hadbawnik

**“Thy decay thou seekst by thy desire”: Neoteric Imagination in Spenser’s *Mutabilitie Cantos***

Melissa J. Rack, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville

**Negotiating Nostalgia: Samuel Daniel and the Fiction of Pastoral Reform**

Nicholas Hoffman, Univ. at Buffalo

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**Topics in Western European Liturgy**

Presider: Patricia Hollahan, Western Michigan Univ.

**Advent-Christmas Liturgies in the Writings of the Helfta Women**

Ann Marie Caron, RSM, Univ. of St. Joseph

**Rome Gathered: *Litania Septiformis* and Ritual *Renovatio* of the City**

Anatole Upart, Univ. of Chicago

**Listening to Reform: Music and Religious Identity in the Parish Churches of London, 1545–1553**

Anne Heminger, Univ. of Michigan–Ann Arbor

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**Medieval Necropolitics: Dead Bodies and Living Systems**

Organizer: Rachel S. Anderson, Grand Valley State Univ.

Presider: Rachel S. Anderson

**The Body’s Here, the Tomb’s There, and the Effigy’s behind that Pier: Necropolitics at Medieval Quedlinburg**

Karen Blough, SUNY–Plattsburgh

**Testamentary Practice in Old Lübeck: Channeling the Living along with the Dead**

Judith Potter, Independent Scholar

**The Corpse as Testimony: Judgment, Verdict, and the Elizabethan Stage**

Thea Tomaini, Univ. of Southern California

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**The Archaeology of Medieval Europe II: Medieval Colonization**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Univ. of Florida

Organizer: Florin Curta, Univ. of Florida

Presider: Andrzej Kompa, Univ. of Łódź

**The “German Colonization” on the Southeastern Frontier of Medieval Hungary: An Archaeological Perspective**

Maria Emilia Țiplic, Institute for Research in Social Sciences and Humanities, Sibiu

**Networks of Colonialism: The Hansa in Northeastern Europe**

Visa Immonen, Turun Yliopisto, and Joonas Kinnunen, Turun Yliopisto

**From Muslim Almunias to Carthusian Domain: Suburban Landscapes of Northern Granada (Fourteenth–Seventeenth Centuries)**

Guillermo Garcia-Contreras Ruiz, Univ. of Reading

**Colonizing the North: Interactions between Sami and non-Sami in  
Seventeenth-Century Sapmi (Lapland)**

Magdalena Naum, Oulun Yliopisto

**Pardon our Dust: Reassessing Iconography at the Index of Christian Art II: Ornament**

Sponsor: Index of Christian Art, Princeton Univ.

Organizer: Catherine Fernandez, Princeton Univ.; Henry Schilb, Princeton Univ.

Presider: Henry Schilb

**Matrix as Ornament: The Representation of Fictive Intaglios in Carolingian  
Manuscript Illumination**

Catherine Fernandez

**Expression and Ornament: The Mudejar Baptismal Fonts of Fifteenth-  
Century Toledo**

Rachel Spradley, Southern Methodist Univ.

**Borders Playing with the Viewer: The Emerson-White Hours**

Melis Taner, Harvard Univ.

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**Women and the Law in Britain and Ireland, 1300–1500**

Sponsor: Centre for Medieval and Early Modern Research (MEMO), Swansea Univ.

Organizer: Sparky Booker, Swansea Univ.

Presider: Liz Herbert McAvoy, Swansea Univ.

**Catching Fire: Female Arsonists and Formal Justice in Late Medieval Scotland**

Chelsea Hartlen, Univ. of Guelph

**A Witch's Defense: Women's Rights and Conflicts between Canon and  
Common Law in the Kilkenny Witch Trial of 1324**

Maeve B. Callan, Simpson College

**"She wept and felt great sorrow": Marital Disputes in the Ecclesiastical Courts  
of Late Medieval Ireland**

Sparky Booker

**"Lamentably Compleyneth": Female Petitioners and the Quest for Justice in  
Late Medieval Wales**

Deborah Youngs, Swansea Univ.

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**Medieval Transidentities**

Organizer: Kristen Carella, Assumption College

Presider: Micah Goodrich, Univ. of Connecticut

**Editing Flesh: Modern and Medieval Transsexual Desire**

Rowena Galavitz, Indiana Univ.–Bloomington

**Completing the Communion: The Cross Dressing Saints and Martyrs of the  
Smaller Vernon Legend Collection**

Leanne MacDonald, Univ. of Notre Dame

**Genres of Embodiment: A Theory of Medieval Trans Literature**

M. W. Bychowski, George Washington Univ.

Respondent: Kristen Carella

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**Gender and Voice in Medieval French Literature and Lyric**

Organizer: Rachel May Golden, Univ. of Tennessee–Knoxville; Katherine Kong,  
Independent Scholar

Presider: Daisy Delogu, Univ. of Chicago

**“Weep, o men”: Voice and Masculinity in Grieving for Kings**

Rachel May Golden

**“Cuers Diviers”: The Gendering of Nature and Nurture in *Silence* and *Perceval ou le conte du graal***

Sara Rychtarik, Graduate Center, CUNY

**Lancelot in Prison: Fictions of Power in *Le chevalier de la charette***

Katherine Kong

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**Camelot on the Small Screen (A Roundtable)**

Organizer: Tara Foster, Northern Michigan Univ.

Presider: Jon Sherman, Northern Michigan Univ.

***Legend of the Seeker*: Arthurian Legend Adapted to Primetime**

Kayla Sheppard Greer, Montgomery Academy

**Geeks versus Evil: Facing Arthurian Villains in a Modern TV World**

Cindy Mediavilla, Univ. of California–Los Angeles

***Once Upon a Time*: Camelot in Fairy Tale Land**

Tara Foster

**The Other Merlin: NBC’s 1998 Miniseries in the Modern Arthurian Canon**

Alexandra Garner, Bowling Green State Univ.

**Screening Merlin: Shapes, Roles, and Tones**

Cédric Briand, Pennsylvania State Univ.

**The BBC’s *Merlin*: In Search of Magic**

Sarah M. Anderson, Princeton Univ.

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**Non Sequitur: Reading across Gaps in Medieval Narrative**

Sponsor: Medievalists of the Johns Hopkins History Dept.

Organizer: Neil Weijer, Johns Hopkins Univ.

Presider: Gabrielle M. Spiegel, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**Reinterpreting the *Regnum Sclavorum***

Asmin Omerovic, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**“His fathers are like sheepdogs!”: A Testimony of Jewish Communal Strife in Abbasid Baghdad**

Jennifer Grayson, Johns Hopkins Univ.

**The Crusaded and the Caliph: A Fragmentary Petition from a Syrian Port under Siege**

Brendan Goldman, Johns Hopkins Univ.

### **Dress and Textiles III: Working with Textiles**

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Organizer: Robin Netherton, DISTAFF  
Presider: Robin Netherton

#### **Gender and Textile Production in Thirteenth-Century Paris**

Janice M. Archer, Independent Scholar

#### **“A Verie Good Way to Take Out Spottes”: Modern Experimentation with Sixteenth-Century Textile Stain Cleaning Recipes**

Cassandra Chambers Wagner, Independent Scholar

#### **Put It to the Log: Exploring the Mechanics of a Late Medieval Dyeing Technique**

Jennifer Ratcliffe, Independent Scholar

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### **The Languages of Anglo-Saxon England**

Organizer: Emily Butler, John Carroll Univ.  
Presider: Emily Butler

#### **Anglo-Saxon Mannerism: A Language of Its Own**

Anthony Adams, Duquesne Univ.

#### **Anglo-Saxons and Welsh: The Evidence of *Wealhstod*, *Gwalstawd*, and *Asser***

Joseph McLaurin Leake, Univ. of Connecticut

#### **Languages of Silence, Languages of the Body: The Anglo-Saxon Monastic Sign Lexicon**

Jordan L. Zweck, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

Respondent: Mary Kate Hurley, Ohio Univ.

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### **Late Old English Verse**

Organizer: Eric Weiskott, Boston College  
Presider: Dylan Wilkerson, Univ. of Toronto

#### **“The Grave” as a Paradoxical Encomium**

Richard Ford Burley, Boston College

#### **What Is Late about Late Old English Meter?**

Geoffrey Richard Russom, Brown Univ.

#### **Found You! Old English Homiletics and/in the Early Middle English *Poema Morale***

Carla Maria Thomas, New York Univ.

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### **Perceptions of Race in the Middle Ages**

Sponsor: Graduate Medievalists at Berkeley  
Organizer: Shokoofeh Rajabzadeh, Univ. of California–Berkeley; Evan Wilson, Univ. of California–Berkeley  
Presider: Shokoofeh Rajabzadeh

#### **“Als agelstern varwe tuot”: Race and Rewriting in *Parzival***

Jenny Tan, Univ. of California–Berkeley

#### **Reading Race in Medieval Legal Sources: Moros, Batiats, and Negres in Late Medieval Valencia**

Thomas Franke, Univ. of California–Santa Barbara

#### **Race-Thinking in the *Book of John Mandeville***

Sierra Lomuto, Univ. of Pennsylvania

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**Erratic Letters (A Roundtable)**

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Organizer: Damian Fleming, Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ.-Fort Wayne  
Presider: Chris Piuma, Univ. of Toronto

***Aurochs* and: Overlapping and Unlocking Runic and Greek Characters in Old English Manuscripts**

Rachel A. Burns, Univ. College London

**Gibberish or Gobbledygook? Investigating the Dry-Point Runic Marginalia of the Exeter Book Riddles**

Kris Kobold, York Univ.

**I Found More Hebrew!**

Damian Fleming

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**Sensory Reflections: Traces of Experience in Medieval Artifacts II**

Sponsor: Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, Stanford Univ.  
Organizer: Fiona Griffiths, Stanford Univ.; Kathryn Starkey, Stanford Univ.  
Presider: Kathryn Starkey

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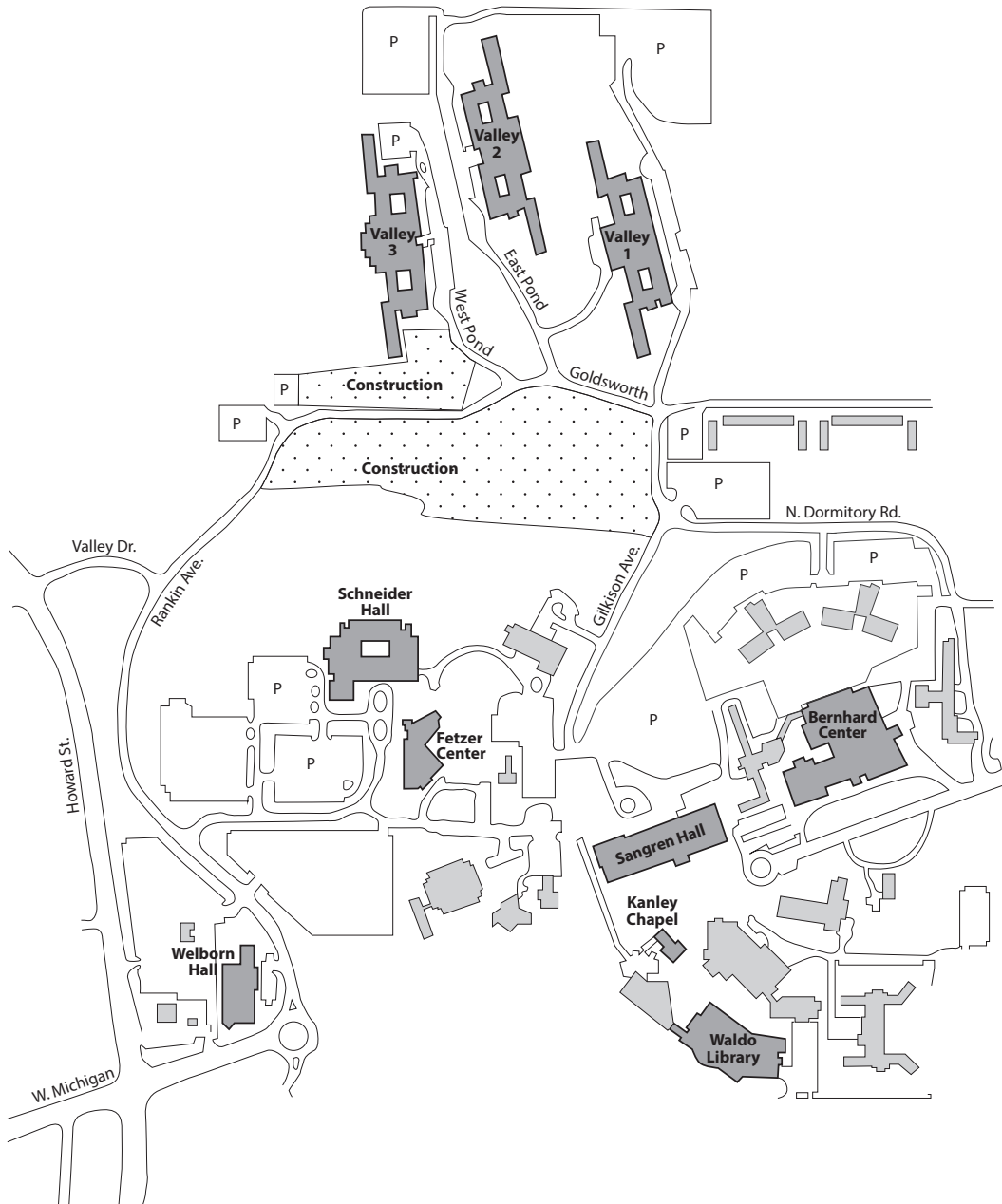
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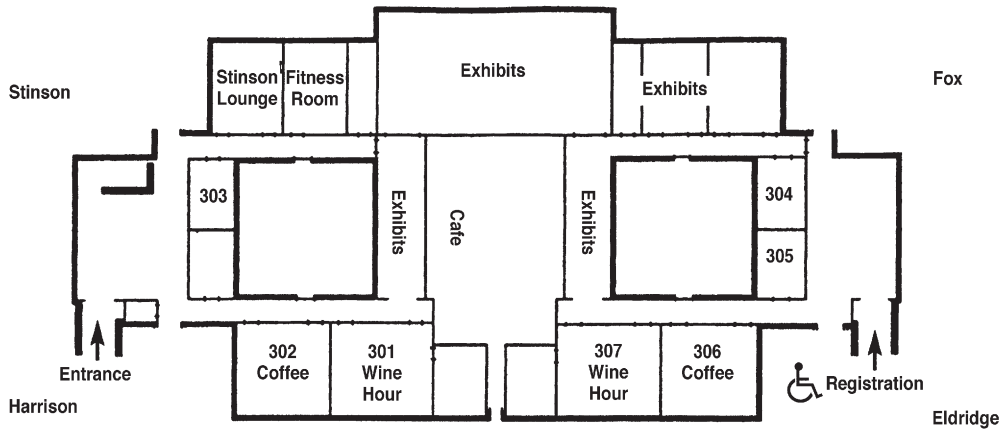


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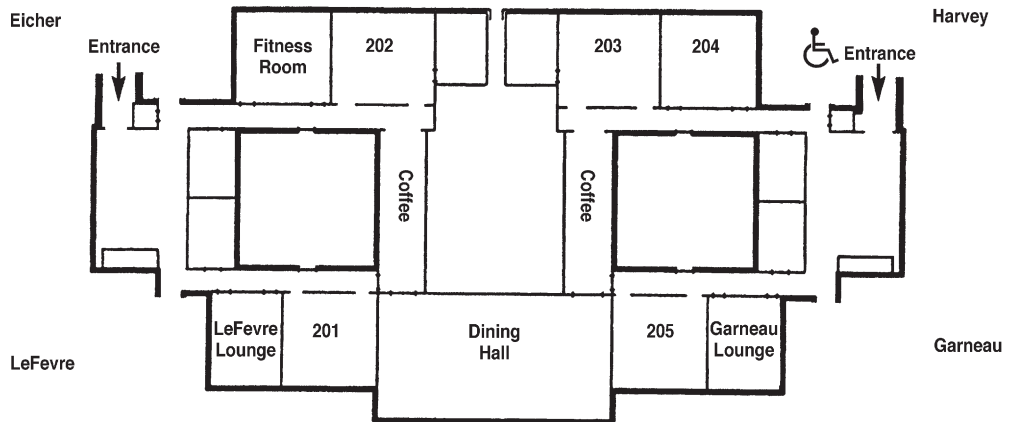


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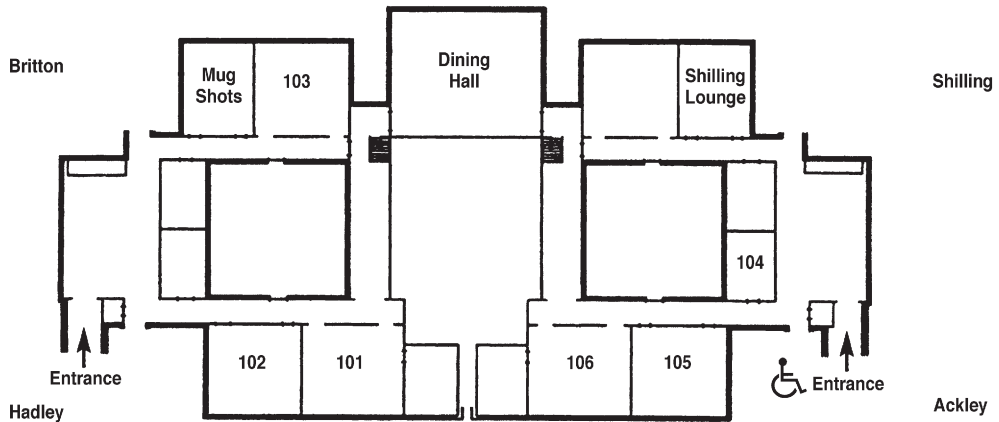
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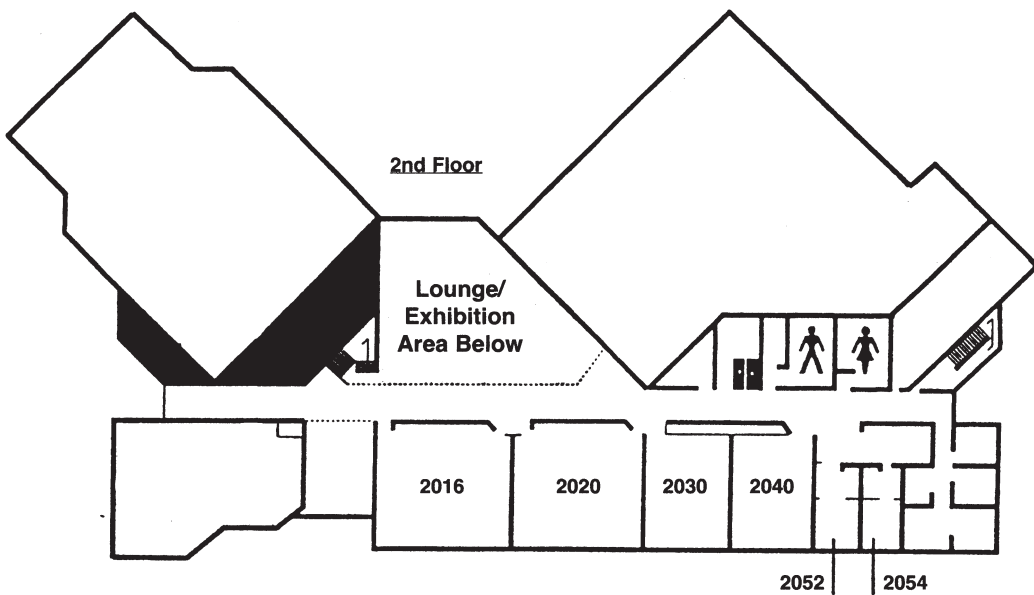
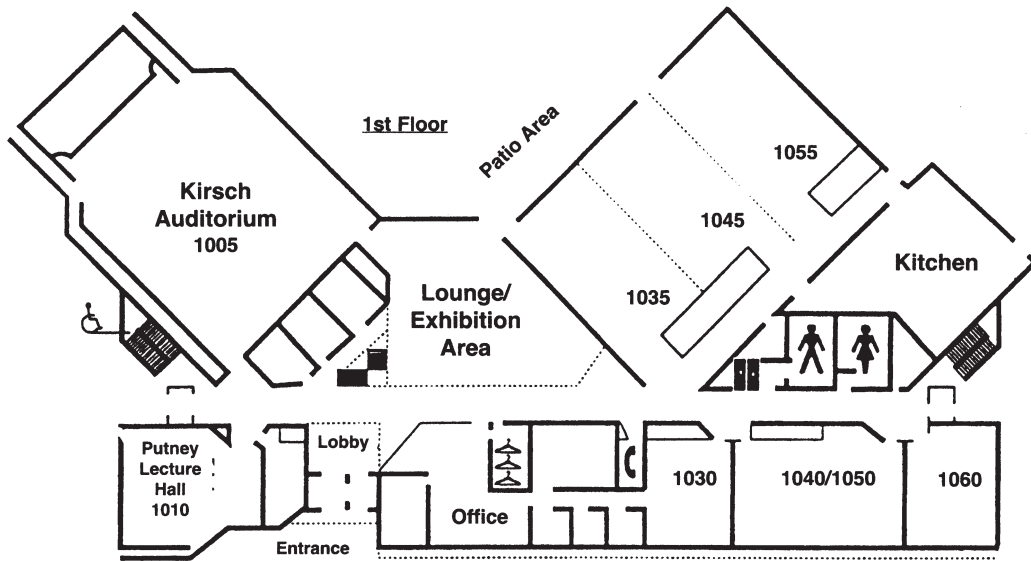


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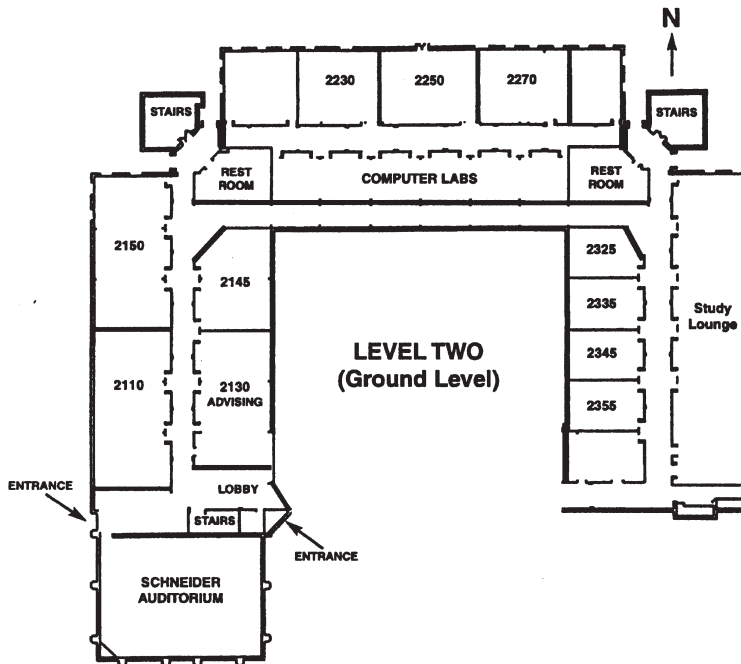
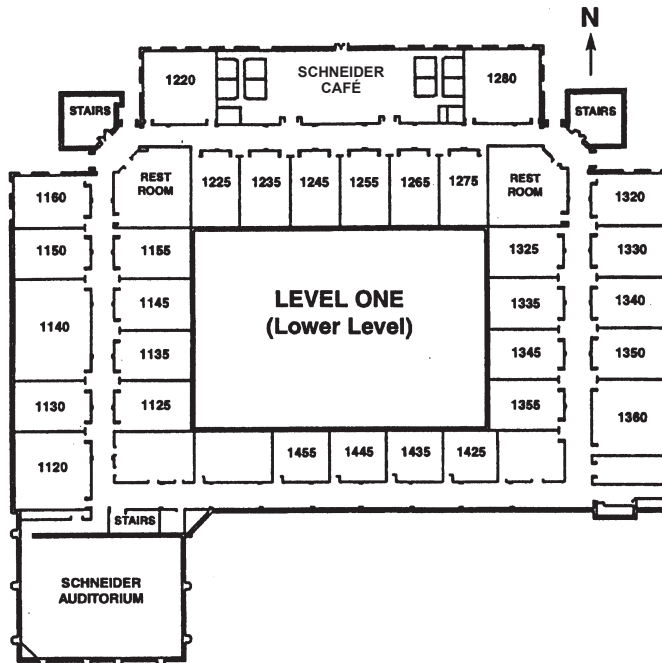
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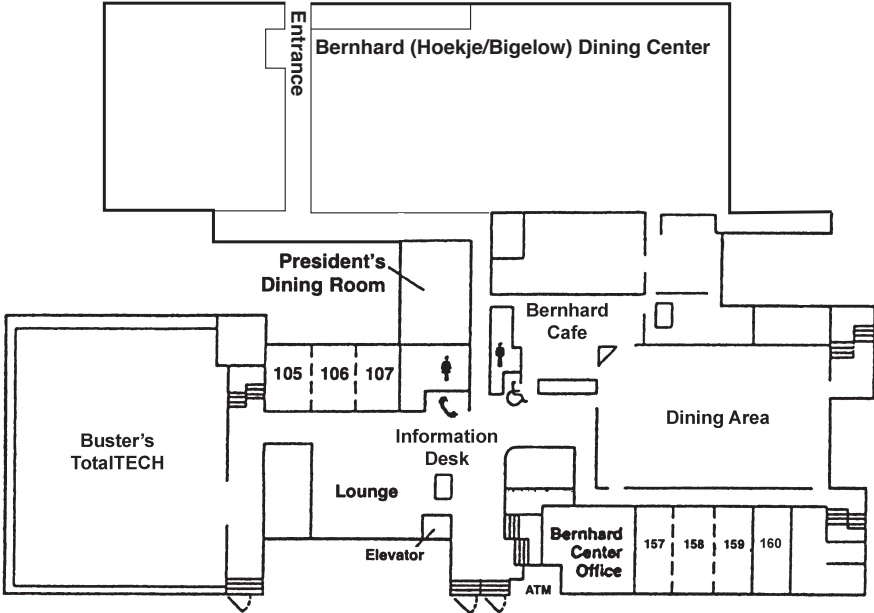
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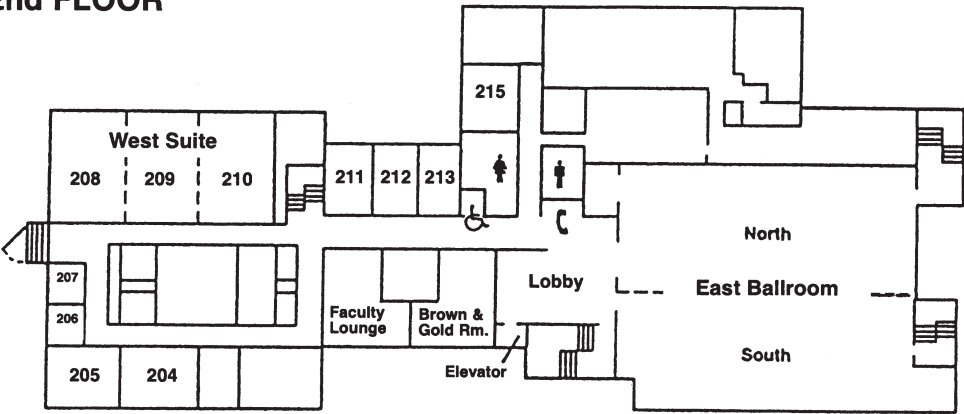


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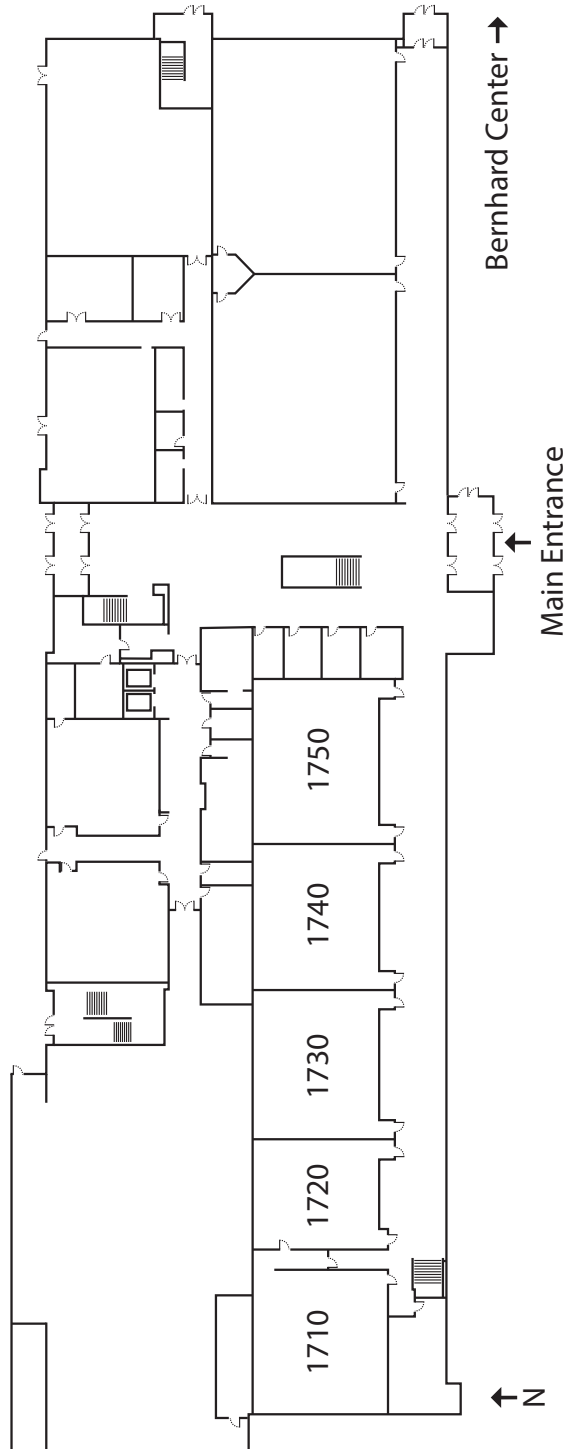


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# Sangren Hall

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# History of the Medieval Institute

The Medieval Institute at Western Michigan University was launched as a result of conversations between two faculty members, John Sommerfeldt in history and John McNally in English. After surveying the number of faculty members with expertise in medieval studies, they enlisted colleagues in identifying a core of courses that could be used to support both undergraduate and graduate degree programs in the field. A new master's program in medieval studies was announced in May 1961, and plans were set into motion for an undergraduate minor. In 1962 the program became the Medieval Institute, with Sommerfeldt as its Director.

In March 1962, the medieval studies program sponsored a regional conference on medieval studies—an event that would prove decisive for the future of the nascent Institute. At first a biennial affair, by 1966 the conference had grown to nearly 200 participants from colleges and universities across the United States and Canada. In 1970 the conference became an annual event and moved from March to May.

One reason for the success of the conference was the central location of Kalamazoo in the United States, but the most important was the egalitarian strategy successfully argued by Sommerfeldt. Invitations to present papers at the Kalamazoo conference went out to everyone in the field, and paper proposals were invited from anyone who wished to be considered. Emerging scholars and graduate students were encouraged to submit paper proposals, and their contributions were by design included among conference sessions. This approach, considered radical at the time, served to open scholarship to a broad range of people, and over the years many young scholars have read their first papers at Kalamazoo.

In 1964, the Medieval Institute started publishing the journal *Studies in Medieval Culture*, conceived as a vehicle for publishing papers delivered at the conference. The journal was eventually transformed into a series and continues publication to this day. The Early Drama, Art, and Music series was launched in 1977, and Medieval Institute Publications assumed its present structure in the following year, with Thomas H. Seiler as Managing Editor. In the early 1980s, Medieval Institute Publications began its ongoing arrangement to publish titles in the various series of texts and translations sponsored by TEAMS (eventually the Consortium for the Teaching of the Middle Ages).

The Medieval Academy of America held its 1974 meeting in conjunction with the Medieval Institute's annual May conference, confirming the place of the Kalamazoo conference in the field. The local philanthropist Irving Gilmore gave the financial support that made this joint meeting possible. It was with this ninth conference in 1974 that the number of sessions topped 100. The subsequent growth of the conference in both prestige and size may be traced to the appointment in 1975 of Otto Gründler, first as associate director and then in the following year as Sommerfeldt's successor as the director of the Medieval Institute.

The name of the conference was changed in 1979 to the International Congress on Medieval Studies, a designation that more accurately reflected the scope and ambition of the event, which by that time featured more than 200 sessions. On the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the first conference on medieval studies, in 1982, the Medieval Academy of America assisted in the celebration by holding its annual meeting once again in conjunction with the Congress. Through



the 1980s and 1990s, and now into the twenty-first century, the Congress has continued to grow, with more than 300 sessions in 1984, more than 400 in 1994, more than 500 in 1998, and more than 600 in 2003. The Congress now regularly boasts 550–575 sessions, including sessions of papers, roundtables, panel discussions, workshops, demonstrations, and performances.

When Cornelius Loew—an early champion of the Institute first as Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and then as Provost—retired from the University in 1986, the Board of the Medieval Institute established a lecture series in his name that brings a distinguished medievalist to the WMU campus each semester.

With a promised gift from Georgian Rawlinson Tashjian and David Reitler Tashjian, the Richard Rawlinson Center for Anglo-Saxon Studies and Manuscript Research was established in 1994 under the aegis of the Medieval Institute. There quickly followed a series of National Endowment for the Humanities summer programs on Anglo-Saxon topics directed or co-directed by Paul E. Szarmach, who succeeded Gründler as the Institute's director in 1995. The center began sponsoring speakers and sessions at the Congress in 1996 and launched its publication series in 2000.

The Otto Gründler Book Prize, established by then WMU president Diether H. Haenicke, for an outstanding book in any field of medieval studies was first awarded at the International Congress on Medieval Studies in 1997, and the Medieval Institute continues to award the prize annually

The Center for Cistercian and Monastic Studies was established in 2010 as a research center under the aegis of the Medieval Institute as the successor to the Institute of Cistercian Studies, which had been founded in 1973 as a cooperative venture between Western Michigan University and Cistercian Publications, Inc. Through the Center, the Medieval Institute offers a Graduate Certificate in the History of Monastic Movements, which is open to students enrolled in a graduate degree program at WMU.

Medieval Institute Publications, under Director and Managing Editor Simon Forde, currently contracts more than 100 volumes a year: monographs, thematic collections, textbooks, and reference works addressing the period from late antiquity to early modernity across the globe. Its journals and books are routinely published Open Access. It became a member of the Association of American University Presses in 2011 under Patricia Hollahan, who served as Managing Editor from 2002 until 2013.

Since 2015, Medieval Institute Publications has been working in Kalamazoo with Arc Medieval Press, the publishing arm of the CARMEN Worldwide Medieval Network. CARMEN is the global network of leading university centers and institutes of medieval studies and of national medieval associations. Arc Medieval Press's publications focus on global medieval studies.

The current Director of the Medieval Institute is Jana K. Schulman, who succeeded James M. Murray, Director of the Institute from 2007 until 2015.

Western Michigan University first granted the Master of Arts in medieval studies in 1964, and nearly 200 degrees have been awarded in the years since.

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